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PLAN BIG FACULTY FOR SUMMER TERM

TEN OR MORE EXTRA TEACHERS PROVIDED FOR NORMAL.

LARGE ATTENDANCE IS INDICATED IN QUARTER

Inquiries from Over District Apparent That Many Will Attend, Beginning May 26

The program for the summer session of the State Normal school was announced today. It provides for a total of one hundred and twenty-four classes distributed through eight periods of fifty minutes each.

The program represents nineteen different departments taught by a faculty and administration force of forty members. Sixty-three classes may be used for college rank credit and sixty-eight classes may be used for high school credits.

The regular faculty will be assisted by S. E. Deavis, formerly of the state public school department at Jefferson City, now studying in Columbia university city, New York, who becimes head of the department of education and training; C. V. Singleton, a graduate of the college of agriculture, at Columbia, who will assist in the department of agriculture; George Palfreyman, Jr., a senior of the state university and an assistant to Coach Brewer of the department of physical education, will assist in the departments of manual training and physical education; Supt. George H. Beasley of Liberty, in mathematics; Supt. W. M. Westbrook, Maryville, in history and mathematics; Supt. B. F. Brown, Jameson, algebra and penmanship; Supt. J. L. Nierman, Hopkins, in German, and Miss Jane Hinote of Gentry, in home economics. At least two other instructors will assist in the program, but whose engagements are not definitely closed at this date.

Provide Special Lectures, Too.

An ample offering of subjects of study is provided to meet the new requirements of the state department in preparation for high school teaching. In addition to the regular class work the usual series of special lectures will be delivered by educators of national repute, including Dr. D. G. Strayer of the Teachers' college, New York; President B. R. Payne of Peabody College for Teachers, Nashville, Tenn.; Henry S. Curtis of Michigan; Supt. J. A. Whiteford, St. Joseph, and others whose engagements are not definitely closed.

The Coburn Players, who visited this school for the first time last year, will give three performances June 28, and 29. The plays to be presented this year are "The Yellow Jacket," "The Imaginary Sick Man" and "Midsummer Night's Dream."

Nine different types of students and teachers will be provided for in the program. The correspondence in the office of the Normal school relative to the offerings this year has been very heavy for the past four or five weeks, which indicates a satisfactory attendance during the summer.

TO SELL 60 ANGUS CATTLE.

Caldwells, Burlington Junction, to Offer Fine Stock to Public May 25.

C. D. Caldwell and E. F. Caldwell near Burlington Junction, will hold a public sale of sixty head of thoroughbred Aberdeen-Angus cattle at their farm, Tuesday, May 25. They have been arranging for the sale for several weeks. The lot consists of fifteen bulls and forty-five cows and heifers, selected from the Caldwell herd of 250 head.

Buyers from all sections of the country are expected.

Return from Plattsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Nusbaum have returned from a visit at Plattsburg with their daughter, Mrs. A. Swike and family.

Calendar of Normal School Commencement Exercises

Sunday—2.30 p. m., Normal school auditorium, annual sermon by Rev. S. D. Harkness.

Monday—10.00 a. m., Normal school auditorium, class day exercises.

2:00 p. m., east gymnasium, demonstration of Folk games and dances by children of training school classes, followed by annual track meet of training school on athletic field.

8:00 p. m., Normal school auditorium, annual class play, "Pygmalion." admission, 25 cents.

Tuesday—10:00 a. m., Normal school auditorium, annual commencement address by Hon. Frances B. Blair, state superintendent of public instruction, Springfield, Ill.

6:00 p. m., library study room, alumni meeting and banquet.

Special music is provided for each of these events by the Normal musical organizations. The Conservatory of Music joins with the Normal school in the baccalaureate services Sunday afternoon.

The public is cordially invited and urged to attend these several exercises, all of which are open to the public, except the alumni meeting and banquet at 6 o'clock p.m., Tuesday. We trust that especially we may have a large attend-ance of citizens to hear Superintendent Blair Tuesday morning.

JEWELL BEATS NORMAL 4-1

Liberty Game Went 1-1 to Eighth Inning—Noblett and Leech Hit for Lone Run.

Special to the Democrat-Forum.

Liberty, Mo., May 15.—In the best conference game played here this season the William Jewells defeated the Maryville Normal base ball team yesterday afternoon by the score of 4 to 1. It went one to one up to the last half of the eighth inning, when the Jewell nine brought in two runs, and another in the ninth, cinching the game.

The lone run for Maryville was made in the fifth inning, when Noblett got a two-base hit, and Leech, with a single, brought him home. Leech also got one other hit, but failed to land anything on home. Bird also got a single.

Ham pitched a splendid game for the Normals—in fact, much better than when the Jewells defeated the Normal on its home grounds recently by a 6 to 0 score.

Brittain caught well. In fact, the Maryville aggregation showed splendid team work all through, but were outclassed by the Jewells' superior fielding. The loss of the game for the Normals also came about through the fact that the Normals' two errors were costly ones, while the Jewells' two bobbles were at times when there was no danger. Each side made four hits, so the work of Ham and Harl, pitcher for Jewell, was about even.

This makes seven consecutive victories this season for the Jewells, and not a game lost. It virtually cinches the conference championship for the Liberty collegians. The Tarkio team plays Jewell next Monday afternoon. The score.

	R.	H.	E.
Maryville 000010000	1	4	2
William Jewell...010000021	4	4	2

Batteries—Maryville, Ham and Brittain; Jewell, Harl and Crawford.

The lineup was:

Blagg, 1b; Ed Adams, 2b; Leech, 3b; Bird, ss; Vandersloot, lf; Noblett, cf; Lonnie Adams, rf; Ham, p; Brittain, c.

TO HOLD ALL-DAY SERVICE.

White Cloud Baptists Will Have Basket Dinner and Afternoon Program Tomorrow.

An all-day service will be held tomorrow at the White Cloud Baptist church, south, of the city. The usual preaching service will be held at 11 o'clock with sermon by pastor, the Rev. W. F. Estes. At noon a basket dinner will be served, and in the afternoon a program will be given.

Topics of especial interest to the Sunday school will be taken up at this time and addresses will be given by H. C. Bower, president of the County Sunday School association; Miss Eva Davis, secretary of the association; Mrs. Alfred Jones, Edward Busby and others.

YEOMAN SPIRIT IS REVIVED

Banquet to 75 Locals and Visitors Precedes Initiation of 40—Head of Order Speaks.

The local homestead of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen came to life last night, after a siesta of about fourteen years, with a banquet to seventy-five visiting and local Yeomen, followed by the initiation of a class of nearly forty new members. While last night's feast was designated as the second annual one, the real truth of the matter is that the first was held a decade and a half ago. But indications are that the next "annual" affair is just a year in the offing.

Besides the sixty-odd Yeomen of Maryville, Wilcox and Burlington Junction, there were present from the Gate City homestead of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Galvin, J. E. Vrooman and C. L. Vrooman. Mr. Galvin is correspondent of the Gate City lodge, while C. L. Vrooman is state manager of the Yeomen. J. E. Vrooman is a son. W. E. Davy of Des Moines, chief correspondent of the Yeomanry, accompanied by Mrs. Davy, also was present.

An eight-piece orchestra furnished the music for the banquet. The speakers were Mr. Davy, Mr. Galvin, C. L. Vrooman and John Aley, foreman of the Maryville homestead. William F. Smith was toastmaster.

The initiation of the new members was then held in the Woodmen of the World hall, which the local Yeomen homestead will use each Friday night. The initiatory work was directed by Mr. Galvin. A social hour was then spent.

The election of officers and reorganization will be held next Friday night.

PLAN LINCOLN COMMENCEMENT.

Hold Exercises for Eighth Grade Graduates at Elmo, May 20.

Commencement exercises for the eighth grade graduates of the public schools of Lincoln township will be held in Elmo next Thursday night, May 20. There are several to graduate at that time. Prof. Bert Cooper, county school superintendent, will make a short address and present the diplomas. The following program has been announced:

Music—Elmo orchestra.
Recitation—Possum Walk school.
Duet—Dawson school.
Dialogue—Salem school.
Vocal solo—Elizabeth Cloe Davis.
Recitation—North Grove school.
Music—Elmo orchestra.
Drill—Elmo school.
Recitation—Dawson school.
Vocal solo—High Prairie school.
Reading—Lorain school.
Recitation—Lorain school.
Instrumental solo—Elmo school.
Reading—White Chapel school.
Reading—Union school.
Duet—Mt. Tabor school.
Recitation—North Prairie school.
Reading—Elmo school.
Farce—Union school.
Music—Elmo orchestra.
Address and presentation of diplomas—Supt. Bert Cooper.
Music—Elmo orchestra.

Will Return to Maryville.

Mrs. Myrtle Hackett, Mrs. John Boyer, Mrs. William Springer and Mrs. R. L. Key of Burlington Junction motored to Maryville and spent the day yesterday. Mrs. Keyq is a former resident of Maryville and expects to move back in a short time.

Notice to Delinquent Tax Payers

Having been requested by the court to proceed to collect all back taxes both Personal and Real Estate that have been delinquent more than one year. Those knowing themselves to be in arrears will please call and settle and save cost of issuing Tax Bill.

W. R. TILSON,
Treas. and ExOfficio Col.

TO ADDRESS CLASS

THE REV. S. D. HARKNESS TO NORMAL GRADUATES TOMORROW.

PLEA FOR EARNESTNESS

Will Show Loss of Best Ideals of Past Generation, Then Advise Change—Class Day Monday.

The beginning of the various graduating exercises for the 1915 Normal class of thirty-four seniors will be the class sermon, to be delivered at 2.30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the Normal auditorium by the Rev. S. D. Harkness, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. From that time on for almost a week there will be event after event at the Normal to mark the close of the 1914-1915 regular term, May 21.

The Conservatory of Music will join in the services tomorrow.

Mr. Harkness will take as the topic of his class address "The Decline of Idealism in the Republic."

Monday to Be Class Day.

Monday will be devoted to the annual class day exercises and festival. It will begin in the Normal auditorium at 10 o'clock Monday morning, with the class day exercises. It will consist of both vocal and instrumental music, speeches and the presentation of the class canes by Miss Doris Callahan, vice president of the 1915 class.

The presentation, by Meriam Bleeck, of the annual class gift to the Normal will follow. It will consist of two drinking fountains, to be located at each side of the front entrance to the lower corridor. They are of handsome design.

The class day morning program is:

Piano solo—Pearl Wilkerson.
Class oration—Mattie Dykes.
Piano solo—Ada May Brown.
Presentation of class can—Doris Callahan.
Quartet—Fay McPherron, Clara Meyer, Marie Meyer, Orlo Quinn.
Presentation of class gift—Meriam Bleeck.
Response—W. A. Blagg, president of the board of regents.

This will be followed at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon by the annual class day festival and pageant, in which the training school pupils will take part. It will be held on the campus south of the Normal building. The training school pupils will have folk games, and the various school organizations will participate in the afternoon activities.

The Class Play Cast.

The class day exercises will close that night with the annual class play, which will begin in the Normal auditorium at 7:30 o'clock. It will be a five-act modern comedy drama by Bernard Shaw, entitled "Pygmalion." The cast for the play is as follows:

Prof. Higgins—Silas Skelton.
Colonel Pickering—Fred Lewis.
Alfred Doolittle—Ray McPherron.
Freddie Hill—William Utter.
Mistress Higgins—Francyl Rickenbrode.
Mistress Pearse—Myrtle Hogue.
Mistress Hill—Doris Callahan.
Miss Hill—Gladys Holt.
Eliza Doolittle—Jane Gladstone.
Parlor Maid—Elizabeth Cook.
Bystanders—Eugene Cummins, Vivian Seat, Myrtle Wells, Barbara Millan, Marie Medsker, Hattie Hall and Alice Pemberton.

It is a comedy drama full of amusing situations throughout and has received much commendation wherever dramatized and shown. The students in the cast have been working hard for weeks on the play. Miss Beatrix Winn, teacher, is directing the work.

GIVES ILLUSTRATED LECTURE.

Scudder School Pupils and Patrons Are Entertained by Professor Cameron.

Prof. John E. Cameron of the State Normal school entertained the pupils and patrons of the Scudder school with an illustrated lecture Thursday night on the subject "Amid the Rockies and the Yellowstone Park."

Miss Isora Mutz, the teacher of the school, planned the entertainment as one of the closing events of the term. A picnic dinner, enjoyed by pupils and parents yesterday, completed a successful term.

Merchants Give Free Matinee.

A free matinee at the Grand opera house was given this afternoon by the merchants of Burlington Junction to all persons calling at the various stores for the tickets. It is planned to give a series of these free entertainments to the customers at Burlington Junction shops.

TO 27 HIGH 'GRADS'

THE REV. L. M. HALE TALKS TO CLASS TOMORROW NIGHT.

'A FACTOR OF VICTORY'

Local Seniors Will Be Shown Elements of Victorious Living—Christian Choir Furnishes Music.

The annual address to the graduating class of the Maryville high school, which this year numbers twenty-seven seniors, will be delivered in the First Christian church at 8 o'clock tomorrow night by the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church. He will speak on "A Fundamental Factor of Victorious Living."

The music for the occasion will be furnished by the choir of the Christian church, directed by Prof. H. B. Schuler. Several special numbers have been arranged for the service. It will be on this occasion that the students composing the graduating class will make their initial appearance in caps and gowns.

The class sermon tomorrow night will be followed next week by numerous student activities. The climax comes next Friday night with the commencement exercises. Forrest C. Donnell of St. Louis, a former Maryville student, will deliver the address. That day also will be class day, in the afternoon of which there will be the presentation of a play and musical numbers by the several school organizations and societies.

PHILOS DEFEAT EUREKANS

Normal Inter-Society Literary Contest Results in 4-0 Victory—To Be Annually.

The Philomatheans defeated the Eurekan Literary society in the initial inter-society literary contest held at the Normal Thursday night and last night, by the score of 4 to 0. The success of the venture has resulted in the event being planned annually.

The debate was held Thursday night with the Philomathean debaters winning, as previously announced. Last night the oratorical and declamatory contests were held and the winners of the essay contest announced, with the Philomathean representatives getting first in each. The judges were the Rev. R. L. Finch, Fred Hull and Miss Alicia Keeler, high school teacher.

In the oratorical contest, Henry A. Miller of the Philos, won over Lowell L. Livengood of the Eurekans. In the declamations, Miss Gladys Holt of the Philos won over Miss Jane Gladstone, representing the Eurekans.

In the essay contest on the topic "The Wastes of War," William Utter, Philomathean, took first; Miss Harriett VanBuren, Eurekan, second, and Miss Charlotte Mallory, Philomathean, third.

The winner in each contest—debate, oration, declamation and essay—got one point, each being won by a Philomathean representative. The one getting second in essays gets a place on the bronze tablet to be established at the Normal for recording Normal contest honors in various contests. The third place is merely an honorary one.

The contest last night was attended by a fairly large crowd of both students and townspeople. Each society has between 30 to 35 members, the maximum allowed being 36 members. The musical specialties last night consisted of an orchestral number, an octet, a violin solo by W. Lee Griffin, Normal orchestra director, and two numbers by the Normal glee club.

SENDS OUT STATE TAX MONEY.

Public Utility and Merchants' Tax Levy to County Towns, Schools and Townships.

About $13,000 collected from merchants of the county and public utilities doing business in Nodaway county collected on 1914 tax, is being sent out today by County Treasurer W. R. Tilson, to the various towns, townships and schools of the county, entitled to state aid.

Maryville schools will get $1,676.94 in state aid while Polk township will get $469.35. The township also will receive slightly more than $1,700 in road and bridge money and about $900 in special road and bridge funds, as a result of the voting of $50,000 special fund last year.

Plan Weekly Band Concert.

Arrangements have been made at Elmo to give a band concert each Saturday night from 8 to 9 o'clock, to attract patronage and as an entertainment for townspeople.

REDUCE SCHOOL LEVY HERE

Board Deducts 1¼ Cents on Sinking Fund Levy and 12¾ On Interest Fund.

At a special meeting of the school board held this morning, the levy was materially reduced on the school bond issue. A reduction of 26½ cents on the $100 valuation to 25 cents for the sinking fund of the bond issue, and of 23¾ cents to 10 cents for the interest fund of the bond issue was ordered. The levy will become effective at once and will reduce the school taxes this year.

There has been $28,000 paid off on the bonds. The total issue was for $75,000. In July $4,000 more will be paid off.

PROGRAM DRAWS BIG CROWD

St. Patrick's School Students Present Splendid Entertainment at Empire.

The entertainment given last night at the Empire theater by the students of St. Patrick's parochial school was attended by a big crowd of interested people. Every seat in the auditorium and gallery was taken and every one enjoyed the program, which was given entirely by the pupils. The program is an annual one and is participated in by high school and grade pupils.

Several of the numbers last night were particularly fine and much applauded. "The Bell in the Forest," a two-act operetta, and a one-act playlet called "No Cure ,No Pay" were cleverly presented. The primary children gave several numbers that were especially praised.

The graduation exercises of the school will be held about June 15, in the parish hall of St. Patrick's church.

MERCHANT TRIES SUICIDE.

S. C. Goff of Conception Junction Swallows Poison in Attempt To End Life.

S. C. Goff, a merchant of Conception Junction, attempted suicide Wednesday night by drinking about one-half pint of wood alcohol. Mr. Goff came to the town several months ago and engaged in business. It is said he had met with several financial reverses during the past few years, and worry over this has caused repeated spells of melancholia.

After swallowing the liquid Wednesday night he informed members of his family as to what he had done. Dr. W. P. Stuckle was called and administered antidotes which counteracted the effects of the poison.

Mr. Goff refused to allow the physician to administer treatment, and it was only after unconsciousness began to come from the effects of the poison that Dr. Stuckle could give the prescribed treatment. Mr. Goff is recovering slowly.

EXPECT DREDGE HERE, JULY 1.

Straightening of 102 River Progresses Slowly, District Secretary Reports.

The dredge boat which is being used to clean out the old channel and straighten the course of the 102 river in Nodaway county is now about six miles from Maryville, according to H. H. McClurg of Pickering, secretary of the drainage district, while he was in Maryville yesterday. He says the work has been delayed a couple of days to prepare a dam with which to float the dredge boat where it now is being used.

If no unforeseen delays result, Mr. McClurg expects the dredging to be completed to the municipal water plant here by July 1, perhaps a few days sooner.

TO OBSERVE MOTHER'S DAY.

Buchanan Street Methodist Church Will Hold Special Service Tomorrow.

A special service, Mother's Day, will be held tomorrow at the Buchanan street Methodist church On account of the absence from the city of the pastor, the Rev. John H. Hubbard, the service which should have been held last Sunday will be given at the morning hour of worship tomorrow.

The church will be attractively decorated and a carnation will be given to all attending. The Rev. Mr. Hubbard will give an appropriate sermon and there will be special music.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

FLY IN WHEAT; SOME IS YELLOW

NODAWAY TOWNSHIP FARMERS SAY HESSIAN PEST AGAIN.

WORSE IN UNPLOWED FIELDS THEY REPORT

S. S. Webb, Burlington Junction, Says Larvae Are at Stalk's Base—Crops Need Rain.

The Hessian fly is doing much damage to the growing wheat of Nodaway county, according to reports beginning to come in from the farmers in various sections. What to do is puzzling them. The government experts have issued advice not to plow it up until later At least, though many feel that if it is to be turned under it should be done so at once in order to supplant it with corn.

Many yellow streaks are noticeable in the wheat fields it is reported. Especially wheat which was sown last fall on corn stalk ground, that was not plowed but merely drilled in. S. S. Webb, a farmer living southeast of Burlington Junction, informed the Democrat-Forum that an inspection of his thirty-acre field, resulted in his finding much evidence of the dreaded insect.

Cuts Down Corn Yield.

Mr. Webb sowed his wheat in corn ground, unplowed or disced. In fact he drilled it between the corn rows. He says the fly is yet in the maggot and larvae stage but that they are working up in the plant. They now are near the base of the stalk and slowly eating at the roots and sapping the stalk. It is believed the yield will be considerably diminished.

Where the flies were not noticeable he said his wheat now was about knee-high but in the infested spots only about six inches high. It will be heading about May 25, he said. Mr. Webb said he found no chinch bugs however. He believes there probably were some.

Roy Boyer, living about 3 miles southeast of Burlington Junction, is said to have also found some indications of the Hessian fly, but his wheat is virtually green in those spots yet.

Mr. Webb says the oats are needing rain badly and that a rain would be highly beneficial to all crops and pastures.

DRIVER LYCEUM DECISION.

Bureau Committee Meets Monday Afternoon to Select Season Talent.

With a desire to give more time to consider the several propositions and to await the attendance of a full representation, it was decided by the Maryville Lyceum Association committee yesterday afternoon to hold an adjourned session of the board again Monday afternoon in the Commercial Club rooms at 4:30 o'clock.

Most of the representatives were present at the meeting yesterday afternoon, but no definite action was taken relative to selecting a program for the 1915-16 lyceum season here.

Those present yesterday and what organization they represented were: Dean G. H. Colbert, Normal; the Rev. R. L. Finch, First Christian church; The Rev. L. M. Hale, First Baptist church; The Rev. G. S. Cox, First Methodist church; The Rev. J. H. Hubbard, Buchanan Street Methodist church; Mrs. W. C. Van Cleve, City Federated clubs; Mrs. M. G. Tate, P. E. O. society; Mrs. E. G. Orear, G. A. R.; Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Twentieth Century

W. A. Blagg was in Kansas City yesterday on business.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Sunday; somewhat lower temperature tonight.

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A GOOD WEEK FOR EVERY TOWN.

Lewis Moore, the live publisher of the Border Telephone, at Hume, Missouri, has inaugurated a "pay up" week for his town. The first week in July has been designated as the week when everybody in Hume must liquidate all debts in some manner and put all the town in a proper state of mind to endure the hot days of the coming summer.

The Chinese have a rule that everybody must settle all obligations on January first. Brother Moore has no doubt bought a new press or a new case of type and he deems it advisable to move the date up a little. But whatever the reason may be, the day should be well observed. It is intended that every man who owes another shall pay him or make some sort of a settlement. All borrowed articles, even to umbrellas and books must be returned. All misunderstandings and differences between citizens are to be adjusted and the day is to end with a jollification and the next day is to dawn on a new era of good business and good feeling.

The idea is a good one. Commercially speaking, too much time is generally devoted to "doing business" and not enough to settling up, taking a general inventory of the town's affairs and learning exactly where we stand. Perhaps if all knew their exact financial status there would be fewer debts made. Anyway, we can think of nothing more wholesome or desirable than at least one day in which every man can meet every other man and look him square in the eye with the knowledge that he don't owe any man a cent that is due.

The effect of a general personal and social settlement is beyond the dreams of the most pronounced optimist. Half of the ill feeling and personal differences and prejudices against our fellows are based on misunderstanding and false assumptions. And then think of the delights of a day in which every borrowed article had been returned. There ought to be several of such weeks in Maryville in every year. And, if there were, evangelists, preachers and givers of good advice generally would be an extravagant superfluity, for the millennium would be upon us.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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SOME ADVICE ON SAVING.

A prominent railroad man advises working men to buy land, but to hang onto their jobs. The many thousands who have gone from the cities to the farm with the idea that farming consisted only in watching crops grow into easy money will recognize in this a bit of wholesome advice. The average town-bred boy who goes to the farm without any previous training or experience has a disappointment coming that is only equaled by the country boy or girl who leaves the farm "to accept" positions at small salaries in the cities. The system of living and making a success in city and country are as different as the conduct of different kinds of business, and the man who changes and hopes to make a success must study and learn, and, while he is doing that, it is a most excellent idea to hold fast to that which he hath, if he has anything to hold to. Farming has become a science and the man who makes success of it must know his business and be on the job. He must use brain and brawn. Likewise the man who lives in town, in these days of high prices and high living, and saves more than enough to pay his rent is a scientist of no mean order and a citizen to command your attention. The wise man with a job will buy land and keep the job and the wise farmer who has a farm and wants to go to town will still hang onto the farm.

Whatever may be the ultimate result of the unfortunate sinking of the Lusitania and the loss of more than a hundred American lives, there is but one thing for Americans to do, and that is to stand solidly behind the president and with all Americans. It is fortunate in this hour of world-wide anger and war contagion that has spread to almost every quarter of the globe, that we have a president who is cool, calm, dispassionate and possessed with a desire to deal justly with all. Whatever may be our prejudices, we may rest with a security that there will be no war if it can be honorably avoided, and that if there is it will be a war behind which the people will gather, all for one, united and inseparable.

The government of Italy cannot be accused of precipitating a war upon its people with undue haste. For six months the people of Italy have been clamoring for war, while the government has been apparently trying to save them from it

Delegates returning from the recent undertakers' convention at Kansas City report that there was not a "dead one" in the bunch.

SCHOOL OPERETTA EARNS $60.

Performance Given by Washington Grade Pupils is Highly Successful.

The operetta given last night by the grade pupils of the Washington school was attended by about 400 patrons. The play was called "In A Flower Garden" and was presented by the children of the various rooms. Every one attending was greatly delighted with the performance which was remarkably well given.

The gross receipts were $75 and the expense attached to the giving of the operetta was about $15. The proceeds are to buy a victrola for the school. One of the especial school machines will be purchased and will be for the use of the lower floor students.

TO HELP DEDICATE SCHOOL.

Normal Head and Booster Speak at Mound City Dedication May 19.

The new $35,000 high and grade school building just completed by Lincoln Bent at Mound City will be formally opened in a dedication to be held there next Wednesday. President Ira Richardson of the Normal and A. N. Lindsey of Clinton, publicity agent of the Normal, will be among the list of speakers at the dedicatory exercises in the afternoon.

Sunday Services at Local Churches

First Church of Christ, Scientist.
206 South Main street.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Subject of lesson sermon, "Mortals and Immortals." No Sunday evening services.

Midweek service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

Reading room in Michau building open every afternoon from 2 till 5 o'clock. Every one is cordially invited to attend the services and to the use of the reading room.

First Methodist.
Gilbert S. Cox, pastor.

The usual services will be held tomorrow morning.

Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock with sermon by pastor. Subject, "The Ascension."

The congregation will unite with the other churches of the city in attending the commencement sermon for the high school graduates to be given at the First Christian church by the Rev. Lewis M. Hale.

First Baptist.
Lewis M. Hale, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock.

The Men's Organized Bible class will meet tomorrow in the church instead of at the court house.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock with sermon by pastor. Sermon subject, "The Secret of Steadfastness." The musical program will be: Anthem, "Sweeter As the Years Go By," by the choir, and Mrs. W. M. Westbrook will sing "Teach Me to Pray," by Jewitt.

B. Y. P. U. service at 7 o'clock.

No preaching service at the evening hour on account of the high school graduating class exercises.

First Presbyterian.
Samuel D. Harkness, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock with sermon by pastor. Subject, "The Risks of Religion." There will be no preaching service in the evening on account of the pastor going to Fairfax to preach the class sermon for the high school graduates.

The Young People's club will meet at 7 o'clock. The program will be a debate upon the subject "Resolved that national prohibition is the only way to stop intemperance." The affirmative will be taken by Harvey Watson and Kenneth Van Cleve, and the negative by James Gray and Philip Colbert.

Buchanan Street Methodist Church.
John H. Hubbard, pastor.

Our motto still is all at Sunday school and on time. We shall never be satisfied until every member of the church is in the Sunday school.

Preaching service at 10:45 o'clock. We are making a special effort to get every member of the church at services tomorrow morning. All work to this end. Our Mother's day service will be held at this time. A committee is decorating the church and everyone attending will be given a flower. We will also have some special music.

Epworth League at 7 p. m., and the usual preaching at 8 o'clock.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend all services.

First Christian.
Robert L. Finch, minister.

The minister has prepared a sermon for young men and women of our schools and colleges who attend the Christian church. He respectfully urges that they be present at the morning hour. Sermon subject, "Jesus' Unchanging Purpose and Mine." Our morning audiences have been splendid but we should make this service tomorrow one of great power by a very full and enthusiastic hearing. You ought to catch the inspiration of the Bible school hour at 9:30. Come at 9:30 and stay with us through the services. The choir, under the direction of Prof. H. B. Schuler, will render the anthem "Forever With the Lord," by Gounod.

Our Endeavor societies will have a union meeting, led by Miss Hope, at 7 o'clock.

The high school baccalaureate sermon will be preached in our church by the Rev. Lewis M. Hale of the First Baptist church. Our choir will sing "O Lord, How Manifold Are Thy Works," by Barnby. Mrs. F. P. Robinson and Professor Schuler will sing the duet, "Love Divine, O Love Excelling," by Stainer. All the churches will unite in this service.

At 3:30 p. m. the minister will preach in the Arkoe Christian church. A number of men from Maryville will accompany the pastor. If you should be motoring in the direction of Arkoe stop in for the service.

Ellison Guests Leave.

Mrs. E. D. Holland of Hot Springs, Ark., and her sister, Mrs. Ike Thomas Pryor of Fort Stockton, Texas, who have been visiting their parents, Judge and Mrs. William C. Ellison, departed for their home this morning.

POLK GRADUATES IN FINALS

Class of 19 Passes Out With Commencement Here—Track Meet for Rural Pupils.

A class of nineteen eighth grade pupils of twelve public schools of Polk township and two from outlying districts were formally graduated in a commencement exercise held this afternoon in the First Christian church. The graduates represented the following schools: Star of the West, Bedison, Highland, Shell Grove, Bell Grove, Elm Grove, Union, Council Corners, Martha Washington, Ireland, Herron, Scudder, Howell and Rockford.

A program consisting of instrumental and vocal numbers, and recitations was rendered by pupils representing the various schools. The invocation was made by the Rev. G. S. Cox. Bert Cooper, county superintendent, made a short class address and presented the diplomas. Maulding's orchestra also gave several instrumental numbers.

Following the commencement exercises, a free-for-all track meet for rural school pupils of the township, both boys and girls, was begun at 3:30 o'clock on the north side of the square. Ten events are being contested for. There is a first prize of $1.00 and a second prize of 50 cents. Quite a number of boys and some girls from over the township are competing.

Nyal's Liver Salts for derangement of the Kidneys. Koch Pharmacy.

FLEMMING WINS TROPHY CUP.

Got 29 Points in Maryville High School Track Meet Held Yesterday.

George Flemming won the trophy cup for the largest individual point winning, in the Maryville high school track meet held at the Normal yesterday afternoon with 29 points. Ellison Frank with 21½ points, took second place and Verne Pickens, third, with 20 points. Eugene and Ralph Yehle, tied for fourth place with 16 points each. Ralph is a freshman. He won first in two events, however.

The number of points won by the highest twelve was: Flemming, 29; Frank, 21½; Pickens, 20; E. Yehle, and R. Yehle, 16 each; Glass 12½; Scott, 5; Irwin Harris, Nixon, Halasey, 3 each; Berney Harris, 2; Kenneth Van Cleve, 1.

The presentation of the trophy cup to Flemming and the four ribbons awarded in each event, will be presented in a special assembly of the High school Monday morning.

The letters won in basket ball and track meets also will be presented then if they arrive by that time. Those who get an "M" in basket ball are: Homer Scott, Fred Gray, Harley Hughes and Kenneth Van Cleve, George Flemming, Eugene Yehle, Verne Pickens, Claude Glass and Ellison Frank, each get an "M" in track work.

The pupils of the grades will probably hold a track meet at the Normal or fair grounds next Thursday afternoon.

The winners of first, second, third and fourth places in each event yesterday afternoon, and record of first winner are as follows:

100-yard dash — Flemming, E. Yehle, Pickens, Glass. Time, 11 1-5 sec.

220-yard dash — Flemming, E. Yehle, Pickens, Van Cleve. Time, 26 seconds.

440-yard dash — Flemming, Pickens, Frank, Halasey. Time, 58 2-5 sec.

Half Mile — Pickens, Frank, Halasey, Flemming. Time, 2 min., 27 sec.

120-yard High Hurdles—Frank Pickens, Glass and E. Yehle, tied. Time, 19:4 sec.

220-yard Low Hurdles—Pickens, Flemming, Frank, E. Yehle. Time, 29:3 sec.

Running High Jump—R. Yehle, Frank and E. Yehle, tied for second, Nixon. Heighth, 5 ft. 4 in.

Running Broad Jump—Frank, E. Yehle, Flemming, R. Yehle. Heighth, 18 ft. 9½ in.

Pole Vault—R. Yehle, Glass, Flemming, E. Yehle. Heighth, 9 ft. 6 in.

Shot Put—Scott, I. Harris, Glass, Nixon. Distance, 30 ft. 4 in.

Discus—Glass, Flemming, B. Harris, Nixon. Distance, 78 ft. 5¼ in.

Hop, Step and Jump—R. Yehle, Flemming, Frank, E. Yehle. Distance, 39 ft. 3 in.

A noticeable feature of the athletic events, is that of the twelve who won points, four are sophmores, they being Flemming, Frank, E. Yehle and Berney Harris, Jr. Two of them got first and second place. Three were seniors, four juniors and one freshman.

A picnic to all High school students was held in the Normal park after the track meet.

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LOST—About 4 million ice cream packers. If you have one phone me—Reuillard. 15-18

When You Think
Dry Goods
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Haines
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CAN BE EXAMPLE TO YOUTHS.

Jesse Willard, With Good Habits and Morals, a Lesson-Teacher.

Say, Jess Willard of Kansas—six foot six and clean and fit from the ground up—no man who has lived in the United States in a quarter of a century has had greater opportunity to do incalculable good. And you don't have to preach, either, Jess, or wear a long face or feign false pieties. Right now you are the hero of two or three million boys and youths scattered throughout this big free country. They worship the fine brawn nature gave you, they dote on your power to endure pain without "hollering." They know the measurement of your biceps, your fighting weight, the size of your big strong bones, the width of your tremendous chest and the length of your reach. They talk about you, dream about you, idolize you, imitate you, would fight for you. That's fine, isn't it, and ought to make you feel good, —and grand? But heavy, heavy hangs over the head of a man whom a boy looks up to—and three million look up to you. What a load, Jess, and what a responsibility for one man to carry; but he can if he will. Mayhap—who knows—God fashioned your huge body and put an iron will in it for a single purpose. Did he not raise up Samson, even though Samson failed. Take it that way, Jess, and put yourself a willing instrument in God's hands. They say you love your wife and babies. Stick to 'em. They say you won't drink. Adhere to it as you value your eternal soul. You yourself have said that neither the praises of men nor the adulation of women could move you, but it's going to be a hard fight, old chap. That under the hot sun at Havana won't be a circumstance. Destruction will encompass you about. It will fight foul and strike below guard. It will creep upon you, dope you, poison you, anything to get you. Still, a man can if he will. Go not down into the valley of Sorek where the women of Philistia await to rob you of your might. Cut the blondtops and the small pale girls with incessant eyes and their faces varnished with Japalac. Chuck the cigarette, and the first blear eyed weakling who asks you to take a drink land on him with one of those mighty right hand smashes. Keep your feet away from the base rail and your elbows off the mahogany. The sizz of the seltzer bottle is an abomination and the music of the ice crystals worketh destruction. Booze and women can lick the best man who ever lived, in a 20-foot ring or out. Shun 'em, Jess. Show us what Kansas can do. Give it to us to see a prize fighter arrive to a fine old age, clean and wholesome, his grandchildren about his knee. Imagine the beauty of such a spectacle and buckle to. How God must love a man when He gives him the chance, by clean living, to lead three million boys into paths of decency and self-restraint. Think of it, Jess, for heavy, heavy, heavy hangs over your head. If you falter may God give you a sound punching and make you toe the mark. It's up to you, Jess, the finest chance a man ever had. The eyes of ninety million people are on you.—Tom Bodine in the Paris (Mo.) Mercury.

WALTER BORMAN DIES.

Succumbs Last Night—Funeral to be Held at Wilcox Tomorrow.

Walter Borman, a farmer living east of Burlington Junction, died last night, his death following a short illness with pneumonia. He is survived by a wife and five children. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at Wilcox.

BARNARD WINS LIBRARY.

Bible Institute at First Methodist Church Well Attended.

The Methodist Sunday school of Barnard was awarded the Sunday school library offered by the Bible teachers' institute held Thursday and Friday at the First Methodist church, for the Sunday schools outside of Maryville having the largest representation at the meeting. A great many out-of-town delegates were in attendance yesterday afternoon and evening. The lecture last night by the Rev. James V. Thompson of Chicago closed the two days' meeting.

The delegates registered at the institute were:

Barnard—Mrs. A. J. Price, Steve A. Roach, Mrs. Everett Davis, Mrs. J. R. Turner, John R. Turner, Mrs. N. C. Cole, Mrs. M. V. Baker, James E. Akey, Leonard S. Mendenhall, Rev. John Lee Bilby, Eulah M. Pearce, Blanche C. Stalling, Henry Hulling, Mrs. Jennie Henderson, D. D. Hopper, Mrs. Bertha Miller, D. D. Hooper, Mrs. Jennie Henderson, Mary Lucile Cole, Geo. W. Cole, George Thompson, Mrs. George Thompson, Lena Carman, Irene Henderson, F. H. Badger, Edna Dane, William H. Miller, Elmer L. Miller, Opal Snyder.

Maryville—Dr. W. B. Christy, J. E. O'Neal, Dessa Gault, Mrs. Dora Holbrook, Mrs. H. C. Bower, Lucile Airy, Henry E. Wright, Mrs. H. E. Wright, Anice Ingerson, Mrs. H. J. Kelley, Adam Kern, Bessie Dane, Mrs. W. S. Partridge, Mrs. Arthur A. Wiley, N. Elizabeth Evans, Vada Foland, Mrs. Z. R. Alexander, Mrs. Lula Hulet, Mrs. Hotchkin.

Grant City—Louise Allen, Ruth A. Foland, Rev. J. Jay Cokely, Mrs. John C. Dawson, John C. Dawson, Jr., Mrs. Mabelle Phipps, Mrs. Charles Kirkpatrick, Mary E. Bishop, Mrs. Lou Marshall, Mrs. Loriene Long, Gertrude Foland Minnie Martin, Mrs. Talmage D. Fry, W. I. Lewis, Rev. Talmage D. Fry, Carliyn Tandy.

Skidmore—Mrs. J. C. Spahr, Mrs. J. O. Miller, J. O. Miller, Mrs. Theodore Gray, Reuben Barrett, Fred M. Barrett, Mrs. Maggie Parrish, Bessie Mitchell, Mrs. C. H. Sauceman, J. C. Spahr, Rev. C. H. Sauceman, S. Saunders, Lusa Saunders.

Maitland—Catherine Edwards, Mrs. Lee McIntyre, Mrs. Anna Southwell, Mrs. Nannie Lacey, E. B. Stout, Miss Ella Elliott, Mrs. Lester Hodgin, Mrs. J. E. Weller, A. B. Crider, Rev. Alva C. Brown, Mrs. Alva C. Brown.

Westboro—Rev. E. C. Robinson, W. H. Shellenberger, Mrs. W. H. Shellenberger, Mrs. E. L. Robison, H. E. Miller.

Ravenwood—L. O. Grantham, Neva Grantham, Mrs. L. O. Grantham, Dea Richardson, Mrs. J. M. Slagle, J. M. Slagle, Mrs. J. A. Grantham, J. H. Grantham.

Clearmont—Alma Pence, Mrs. H. W. McClain, H. W. McClain, Mrs. Mary Griffey, Mrs. C. C. McDermitt, Mrs. N. E. Bottom, Eva Davison.

Burlington Junction—Myrtle Griffey, T. A. Corken, Mabel Graham, Katherine Miller, Helen Hollis, Mrs. Jess Jones, Rev. Tom C. Middleton.

Tarkio—Rev. W. S. Welsh, Bess Jackson, Clarice Lett, Beatrice Earle, P. R. Low, Mrs. P. R. Low, Rev. E. L. Spiller.

Mound City—Grace Stubbs, Mrs. W. E. Stubbs, W. E. Stubbs, C. E. Owens, Rev. J. H. Walker.

Pickering—Mrs. S. P. Stillman, Rev. S. P. Stillman, Mrs. C. A. Wolfers, C. A. Wolfers.

Stanberry—Rev. George P. Sturges, Mrs. W. S. Harden, Mrs. Ira Isle, Mrs. R. F. McHenry, Daisy McHenry.

Bolckow—Mrs. H. J. Moody, Rev. H. J. Moody, John Harding.

Rea—Mrs. C. S. Crowder, Rev. C. S. Crowder.

Rock Port—A. H. Wisely, Irene Cokely, Leah Bradley.

Elmo—Rev. Frank Smutz, Mrs. W. B. Woodman.

Hopkins—Rev. J. H. McNamee, Mrs. H. McNamee.

Wyeth—Vada Ray.

Quitman—Ethel Gillinger.

Cameron—Mrs. C. S. Stevens.

Fillmore—Lula Wiley.

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Dr. H. S. Rowlett wishes to announce he is now located in the Sisson building, over Crane's jewelry and book store. Internal medicine. Office hours, 8:30 to 11 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m. Sunday by appointment.

Hears About Balloon.

The balloon that was found by Arthur A. Wiley on his farm Monday, and which was sent to the weather bureau at Washington, was from Fort Omaha, Neb., according to a letter received by Mr. Wiley from that department today.

The ascension was made from that place and its purpose was to obtain a record of changes in air pressures, temperature, humidity and wind at high altitudes. Mr Wiley received $2 for finding and sending it in.

Miss McPherron Here.

Miss Myrtle McPherron, a student at Drake university, Des Moines, Ia., came to Maryville yesterday to attend the commencement exercises of the State Normal school.

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KILL THE CATERPILLAR NOW

Arsenicals the Best Means to Stop Work of Insect, Government Bulletin Says.

The conspicuous, unsightly nests or tents of the apple tree tent caterpillar are familiar objects in the spring in trees along roadways, streams and fences, in neglected orchards and elsewhere. Several methods of checking the depredations of this caterpillar are given in a new publication of the department of agriculture.

These gregarious caterpillars construct the tents for their protection, and these, at first small, are gradually enlarged often to a foot or more in height and diameter, the size varying with the number of individuals in the colony. The caterpillars feed upon the foliage of the trees, stripping the leaves from the limbs adjacent to the nest, and if there be several colonies in a tree, as is frequently the case during periods of abundance, the foliage may be quite destroyed, leaving the branches as bare as in midwinter.

Species of the tent caterpillar are found quite generally over the entire United States. The moths deposit their eggs by early midsummer, or earlier in the South. By fall the embryonic larva is practically full grown, within the egg where it remains until the following spring. With the coming of a warm spell the larvae escape by gnawing through their egg shells, often before there is foliage out for food, and under these circumstances they may feed upon the glutinous covering of the egg mass.

Methods of Control.

The tent caterpillar feeds principally on wild cherry and apple trees, but will attack many other plants, and where such trees can be removed without disadvantage this should be done, thus lessening its food supply.

During the dormant period of trees, when the leaves are off, the egg masses are fairly conspicuous, and with a little practice may be readily found; it is then that they should be cut off and burned. Trees infested with larvae during the early part of the year, or those in the immediate vicinity, are perhaps more likely to be chosen by the parent moth for the deposition of her eggs, and such trees at least should be searched if it is not practicable to extend the work to the orchard as a whole.

This work may be combined with pruning to good advantage, and a look out should be kept not only for the eggs of this insect but for the eggs and cocoons of other injurious species which pass the winter on the trees.

When two egg masses are deposited close together the resulting caterpillars may form a common nest. These nests are gradually enlarged and soon furnish ample protection. If the caterpillars are detected, this will prevent further defoliation of the trees, and the rule should be adopted to destroy them promptly as soon as discovered. In this work either of two practices may be adopted, namely, destruction by hand or with a torch.

Tear Out Nests First.

When in convenient reach, the nests may be torn out with a brush, with gloved hand, or otherwise, and the larvae crushed on the ground, care being taken to destroy any caterpillars which may have remained on the tree.

The use of a torch to burn out the nests will often be found convenient, especially when these occur in the higher parts of tree. An asbestos torch, such as is advertised by seedsmen, will be satisfactory, or one may be made simply by tying rags to the end of a pole. The asbestos or rags are saturated with kerosene and lighted and the caterpillars are as far as possible cremated.

Some caterpillars, however, are likely to escape, falling from the nest upon the application of the torch. In using the torch great care is necessary that no important injury be done the tree; it should not be used in burning out nests except in the smaller branches and twigs, the killing of which would be of no special importance. Nests in the larger limbs should be destroyed by hand, as the use of the torch may kill the bark, resulting in permanent injury.

Spray With Arsenicals.

Tent caterpillars are readily destroyed by arsenicals sprayed on the foliage of lead, etc. The first two are arsenical insecticides may be used, as Paris green, Scheeles green, arsenate arsenate of lead, etc. The first two are used at the rate of half pound to fifty gallons of water. Milk of lime from two to three pounds of stone lime should be added to neutralize any caustic effect of the arsenical on the foliage. Arsenate of lead is used at the rate of two pounds to each fifty gallons of water.

Even in the small home orchard of a dozen or more trees it will be found highly profitable to adopt a system of spraying which will control not only tent caterpillars, but such serious pests as the codling moth, canker-worms, various bud and leaf feeding insects, and which will greatly reduce injury from the curculio.

On stone fruits, such as cherry, peach and plum, arsenicals are likely to cause injury to foliage and must be used with caution if at all. On such trees the arsenate of lead is preferable, as it is less injurious to foliage, and on all trees sticks much better.

In spraying for the tent caterpillar only, applications should be made while the caterpillars are yet small, as these succumb more quickly to poisons than those more nearly full grown, and prompt treatment stops further defoliation of the trees.

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DELUSION OF HYDROPHOBIA.

Rarely Is There Danger from the Bite of a Dog, Physician Says.

Ninety-nine persons out of 100, when they have been bitten by a dog, entertain the liveliest anticipation that they are bound to die from hydrophobia, says Dr. W. O. Stillman in the National Humane Review. He continues as follows:

Probably not one dog bite in 20,000 is liable to cause hydrophobia. Only three or four deaths in 1,000,000 in the human race are credited to this dread disease, and probably three of the four are due to fright rather than to genuine hydrophobia. We are moved to this reflection by a newspaper clipping describing the death of a man in Syracuse. He did not have hydrophobia. The dog which bit him was shown not to have rabies, but practical jokes played upon him caused a condition of autohypnosis which resulted in his death.

The editor of this magazine has been actively practicing medicine for nearly forty years. For nearly twenty years as president of a large local humane society, he has had charge of public dog kennels which have received many thousands of dogs. In spite of a constant lookout for hydrophobia and rabies, he has never seen a case. Dr. Charles W. Dulles, formerly lecturer on the history of medicine in the University of Pennsylvania, about a year ago delivered an interesting lecture on hydrophobia, in which he calls attention to the extreme rarity of this disease and the many abuses which have grown out of unnecessary alarms over its possible existence.

The point of this discussion lies in the fact that the public has been systematically terrorized by rabies literature let loose by departments of agriculture, and by sensational newspaper alarms. These have resulted in many imaginary cases of hydrophobia and an immense amount of wholly unnecessary suffering. Why not try to exercise a little common sense in regard to this enormously exaggerated danger?

Celebrating Birthday.

A. R Robinson, living northeast of the city, is celebrating his 53rd birthday anniversary today. He located in this country about twenty-four years ago, having been born in Canada. Mr. Robinson says that he is about thirty-five years old.

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THOUSANDS VISIT WARSHIPS IN NEW YORK

President Wilson Will Review Fleet Next Monday.

New York, May 15.—Five thousand members of the Navy league and their relatives and friends were among the thousands who visited the warships of the Atlantic fleet in the Hudson river

The Navy league gave a dinner and ball to the officers of the fleet in the Ansonia hotel.

Preparations for the parade of the enlisted men of the fleet through the streets of the city next Monday, when President Wilson will review them are in progress. The city has appropriated $10,000 for the expenses of the parade, review and fireworks.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League.	W.	L.	P.	American League.	W.	L.	P.
Phila	15	8	625	Detroit	19	9	667
Chicago	15	10	600	New York	14	8	636
Boston	12	10	545	Chicago	16	10	613
Pittsb'gh	12	14	462	Boston	11	9	550
Cincin'ti	11	13	458	Cleve'and	11	14	440
St. Louis	12	15	444	Wash'ton	10	13	435
Brooklyn	11	14	440	Phila	....	8	15	348
New York	9	13	409	St. Louis	8	18	308
Federal League.				**American Ass'n.**			
Pittsb'gh	18	9	667	Ind'polis	19	9	679
Kan. City	14	11	560	Louisville	15	13	556
Chicago	15	12	556	St. Paul	13	12	520
Brooklyn	15	12	556	Milw'kee	12	13	500
Newark	14	14	500	Cleveland	12	13	480
Baltimore	11	13	458	Kan. City	13	11	542
St. Louis	11	13	458	Min'apolis	9	12	429
Buffalo	8	20	286	Columbus	7	19	269
Western League.							
	W.	L.	P.		W.	L.	P.
Topeka	12	6	667	St Joe	10	9	526
Denver	10	6	625	Lincoln	7	10	412
Omaha	11	8	570	Soo City	8	14	364
D. Moines	11	9	550	Wichita	5	12	294

BASEBALL RESULTS

National League.

At Brooklyn: R.H.E.
Chicago .....2 8 5 0 2 0 0 1 1—19 23 1
Brooklyn .....0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 1— 4 10 6
Standridge Archer; Cadore-Miller.

At New York: R.H.E.
Cincinnati .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1 5 3
New York.....0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 *—3 7 3
Brown-Clark; Tesreau-Meyers.

At Philadelphia: R.H.E.
Pittsburgh ....2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—3 7 1
Philadelphia ...0 0 0 0 0 0 2 3 *—5 12 4
Mamaux-Schang; Rixey-Killifer.

At Boston: R.H.E.
St. Louis.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5—5 7 2
Boston .....1 0 0 1 2 0 0 0 0—4 8 4
Sallee Snyder; Hughes-Gowdy.

Federal League.

At Pittsburgh: R.H.E.
Chicago .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 6—6 9 1
Pittsburgh .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 5 1
McConnell-Wilson; Allen-Berry.

At Brooklyn: R.H.E.
Brooklyn .....0 0 0 0 4 6 2 0 0—12 16 1
Baltimore ....1 0 1 1 0 0 0 1 0— 4 7 3
Marison-Simons; Quinn-Owens.

At Buffalo: R.H.E.
Newark .....0 0 0 3 0 0 0 1 1—5 7 3
Buffalo .....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1 4 5
Moseley-Ragsiden; Schulz Allen.

Western League.

At Omaha: R.H.E.
Omaha .....4 0 8 0 3 2 0 0 *—17 14 3
Des Moines...0 0 0 0 0 0 1 4 0— 5 6 6
Blodgett-Krueger. Turner-Price.

At Sioux City: R.H.E.
Sioux City.....3 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 *—4 9 2
St. Joseph.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 0
Hallman-Phelps; Jackson-White.

At Topeka: R.H.E.
Topeka .....1 1 0 0 0 3 0 0 *—5 7 4
Wichita .....1 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 0—4 7 2
Wideman-Monroe; Baker-Gray.

At Denver: R.H.E.
Lincoln .....1 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 2—5 9 2
Denver .....3 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—6 9 1
Ehman-Yantz; Gaskell-Spahr.

American Association.

At Kansas City: R.H.E.
Louisville 2 1 1 2
Kansas City.....2 1 2 1
Taylor-Clemons; Allison-Alexander.

BATTLES IN BOTH EAST AND WEST

French Continue Their Victorious Advance North of Arras.

BRITISH HOLDING GERMANS.

Austro-Germans Are Said to Be Continuing Their Successes in Carpathians and Galicia—No Official Report From the Dardanelles.

London, May 15.—The belligerents on both the east and west battle fronts are engaged in most momentous battles. The French, who already have gained possession of what were thought to be impregnable German positions to the north of Arras, are reported to be continuing their victorious advance, while the British are asserted to be holding a large force of Germans in their front and repulsing all German attempts to reach Ypres, which has proved the graveyard of so many thousands of men since the opposing lines were established there last autumn.

Germans Claim Advance.

The Germans claim to have made a slight advance, but with the battle ebbing and flowing this is not considered serious in military circles here.

Along toward the coast the Belgian army has repulsed an attempt of the Germans to regain the bridge head which the forces of King Albert established on the right bank of the Yser canal, while down in the Woevre another French army is pushing its offensive and claims to have gained possession of the whole of the forest of La Pretre, which would be a step nearer to the allies' aim to force the Germans to evacuate St. Mihiel.

Position of Teutons.

The Austro Germans, after their lightning-like rush through western Galacia, have now reached a line running due north and south to the west of Przemysl, while the other armies emerging from the Carpathians are pressing the Russian flank.

Petrograd, however, continues to take the situation calmly, and, although admitting that the Russian army has been forced back by overwhelming numbers and has lost heavily in the retirement, says the Russians are now concentrating on a new line and preparing for another battle.

Down in southeastern Galicia and in Bukowina, according to Russian accounts, the Austrian army, which here has not the assistance of the Germans, is in full retreat and being harried by Russian cavalry. The Russians claim to have obtained the advantage of the German raiders in the Baltic province and to have taken 1,000 prisoners near Shavli.

There is no official report from the Dardanelles, but unofficial news is to the effect that the allies are slowly advancing, despite the obstinate resistance of the Turks, against the heights commanding Krithia, on the one hand, and Killid Bahr and Maidos, on the other.

Teutons Appeal to Consul Skinner.

Germans and Austrians again besieged the American consulate in London, seeking the aid of the American officials to prevent their being repatriated in consequence of the decision of the British government.

These persons explained that for years their homes had been in England and that their deportation would be regarded by them as a greater calamity than internment.

The American consul general, Robert P. Skinner, took their statements, but was unable to promise any action further than the transmission of their requests to the proper authorities.

Large numbers of persons affected by the government's plan are surrendering hourly, rather than await being arrested under the internment order.

KAISER RECEIVES U. S. NOTE

Wilson Grateful For Approval Unanimously Given by Press and Public.

Washington, May 15.—The note sent to Germany by the United States government as a sequel to the Lusitania disaster was delayed in transmission because of congested cables, and was not presented by Ambassador Gerard to the minister of foreign affairs in Berlin until today.

Official Washington talked of little else than the note. The practically unanimous approval given it in the editorial comment of the American press, the statements of governors, senators and members of the house was re-enforced by an incessant stream of messages from persons of every political party and from a variety of organizations and associations. President Wilson told his callers he was deeply grateful and appreciated the patriotic support that was being given him on every side.

Russians Check German Drive.

Petrograd, May 15.—The Russians have fallen back upon strong strategic positions along the river San, which runs north and south through central Galicia, and now regard the German drive as having been checked permanently. The arrival of fresh Russian troops, which successfully engaged the German flanks, has relieved pressure upon the Russian center. These attacks on the German wings, in which the Russian cavalry has been supported effectively by mountain artillery, have been prosecuted with unusual fierceness.

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Motor to Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Wright and children, Marie and Simeon, accompanied by Mrs. Wright's brother, Roy Willhite, will motor to Parnell tomorrow, where they will spend the day visiting Mrs. Wright's mother, Mrs. Mark Barkman.

Dinner Party.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Brown and son of Maitland were guests at a dinner given at noon yesterday by Mayor U. S. Wright and Mrs. Wright, at their home, on South Main street. Mr. Brown came to attend the Sunday school institute in session at the First Methodist church.

Guest from Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Robinson and family and their guest, Mr. Charles Garrison of Rockford, Ill., will motor to Albany tomorrow to spend the day visiting Mrs. Robinson's mother, Mrs. Sarah Garrison. Mr. Garrison is a brother of Mrs. Robinson, and arrived in Maryville yesterday to spend a few days visiting his sister and family.

Mrs. Peery Hostess.

Mrs. M. A. Peery entertained the members of the Homemakers class with a social afternoon Friday at her home, on West Third street The only business matters taken up was the appointment of Mrs. Dan R. Baker as assistant to the class teacher, Mrs. John H. Porter. Mrs. Peery was assisted in the afternoon's entertainment by Mrs. Baker.

Miss Wright Entertains.

Miss Gertrude Wright will entertain with a dinner party at 6 o'clock tonight and the guests have also been bidden for an over-night house party and Sunday breakfast. The party will include Miss Nancy Gustin, Miss Gladys Jenkins, Miss Cora Price, Miss Virginia Rose, Miss Golda Roelofson and her house guest, Mrs. Paul Sawyers of St. Joseph.

To Spend Summer.

Mrs. Mary A. Phares and Mrs. William Wallis, Jr., will depart Wednesday morning on an extensive western trip. Mrs. Phares will go directly to San Francisco, Cal., where she will spend the summer with her son, Mr. Kyle Phares, who is in business in that city. Mrs. Wallis will stop enroute at Denver, Col., and will then go to Portland, Ore., to visit her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walker L. Campbell. Later Mrs. Wallis, accompanied by a party of friends, will visit the Panama-Pacific exposition and make an extensive tour of the southern Pacific coast cities.

Curfman Families Picnic.

In honor of Mrs. Asa Willard and children, Mabel and Robert, of Missoula, Mont., who are visiting in the city, a picnic supper will be given tonight at Normal park by the various Curfman families and relatives, whom Mrs. Willard and children are visiting. Those in the party beside the honored guests will be Mrs. Margaret Curfman, Mrs. J. C. Curfman, Mrs. Anna Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Curfman and daughters, Laura, Helen, Mary Ruth and Gertrude; Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Curfman and children, Lula May, John Preston and Ralph; Mr. Roy Curfman and daughter, Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Richey, Misses Mabel and Helen Todd, Katherine Curfman, Ruth Trout, Mary Margaret Richey and Edith Skidmore.

For Departing Member.

In honor of one of their number, Miss Doris Pinnell, who is leaving Maryville soon, the Queen Esther Circle gave a picnic supper Thursday evening on the lawn at the First Methodist church. Sixteen girls were in the party. Miss Pinnell has been making her home with her aunt, Mrs. Charles McNeal, during the school term and will leave next Saturday for Oklahoma City, Okla., to join her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Pinnell.

For Visiting Friends.

Mrs. James B. Robinson entertained with a kensington yesterday afternoon for the pleasure of Mrs. Frances Totterdale and Mrs. S. J. Richardson of Pueblo, Col., who are visiting in the city. The additional guests who were limited to a small coterie of old friends of the honored ones were Mrs. F. M. Martin, Mrs. S. H. Townsend, Mrs. Martha E. Turner, Mrs. W. M. Wallis, Mrs. Anna Todd, Mrs. Eugenia H. Schenck, Mrs. Margaret Pierce, Mrs. Isabelle Worst, Mrs. Lavencour Michau, Mrs. T. L. Robinson, Mrs. S. O. Hutchison, Mrs. S. A. Helwig, Mrs. H. B. Torrance, Mrs. Rodney Hamblen and Mrs. Katherine Miller.

Mrs. Jackson Gives Euchre.

Mrs. Joe Jackson, Jr., extended her hospitality to thirty guests yesterday afternoon, entertaining with a delightful euchre and luncheon to especially compliment her sister-in-law, Mrs. Harold Ford of Chicago. Late spring blossoms and flowering boughs were used to further beautify the rooms. The high score game favor was won by Miss Helen Leffler and the courtesy favor by Miss Retta Sanders. The hostess was aided in entertaining by Mrs. James F. Colby and Miss Cecile Benight. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. Ford, Mrs. E. D. Holland of Hot Springs, Ark.; Mrs. J. Lou McKee of Pueblo, Col.; Miss Retta Sanders of St. Joseph, Mrs. M. J. Alderman of Omaha, Neb., and Mrs. J. J. Walsh of St. Joseph.

W. R. C. Delegate Returns.

Mrs. Katherine Miller returned last night from Hannibal, Mo., where she went to represent the local Women's Relief Corps at the state meeting.

TO ADDRESS FAIRFAX GRADS.

The Rev. S. D. Harkness Talks to High School Class Tomorrow Night.

The Rev. S. D. Harkness, pastor of the First Presbyterian church will go to Fairfax tomorrow where he will deliver the class sermon before the graduates of the High school tomorrow night. Mr. Harkness will take for the subject of his sermon "A Sum In Addition." The music for the evening will be given by the students of the high school.

There are nine graduates in the class.

The class address will be given on Friday night of next week by Dr. J. E. Dillard of St. Joseph.

Monday afternoon Mr. Harkness will leave for Rochester, N. Y., to attend a meeting of the Presbytery of the United States.

TO HOLD JOHNSON RITES.

Funeral Services Will be at Country Home Tomorrow Afternoon.

The funeral services for Miss Emma Johnson of Burlington, who died early yesterday morning will be held at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Johnson home, south of the twn. The service will be conducted by the Rev. T. C. Middleton, pastor of the Methodist church. The body will be buried in the Burlington cemetery.

Wife Gives Bond; Mate Jailed.

Mrs. Perry Smith, charged jointly with her husband by the state with keeping a gaming device in their home at Burlington Junction, was released yesterday afternoon from the county jail on giving $500 bond. The surety was given by Welch James, Burlington Junction. Mr. Smith was still in jail on two charges this morning.

Summoned by Cousin's Death.

Mrs. Henry A. Foster left last night for Kansas City, where she was summoned by the death of her cousin, Mrs. Percy Green, who died early yesterday morning. Mrs. Foster also received word yesterday of the serious illness of her father, Prof. James W. Terrill of San Angelo, Texas. Prof. Terrill is quite well known to many people in this vicinity. For a number of years he was head of the Mount Pleasant college at Huntsville, Mo.

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STRAW HAT TIME IS HERE.

Styles In Summer Headgear for Men Are "Safe and Sane" This Season —Sennit Straw Popular.

Straw hats are safe and sane this year, and the fancy, freakish styles that predominated last year are not to prevail, according to the displays at the haberdashers. The season opens officially today, but a number of straws were seen on the streets several days ago, and hatters report numerous sales. This year's straw hats have lower crowns and broader brims than last year's. The majority of the stiff ones have 3½-inch crowns with 2¾-inch brims.

Sennit straw hats are most popular. They are of a rough straw and will supersede the split straw hats to some extent. An imitation Italian straw, fancifully braided and tapering toward the top, will be the nearest thing to freakish hats worn this year. The diamond shaped hat with a pencil curl rim, modeled after the popular winter felt hats, will be much worn.

Panamas, as in former years, are in all shapes and styles, and the customary price of $5 holds for most of them. The Bangkok featherweight hat of the last two years will be superseded this year by what is known as the Leghorn featherweight. This is a yellow braid fancy hat and costs a little more than the Panama. Black bands will be worn on hats this year almost entirely, hatters predict, and the only exceptions will be for the dark blue bands. Few if any hats with fancy bands of all colors will be worn.

The Madagascar, woven on the order of the Panama, but out of the soft pliable grass of the Island of Madagascar, finally appear in salable shapes. These hats are dark ecru in color.

The broad brim high crown English sennet sailor will be very popular. They will sell at from $3 to $6.

Straw hats with rounding crowns will appeal to some, while flexible brims will be a novelty in some hats.

The telescope Panama with the pencil curl brim continues to supplant the old time carelessly jammed up Panama. Some of the Panamas will have folded tan bands to match the ever present Palm Beach suit. The price will be from $6 to $10.

Lightweight Leghorns will be given a conspicuous showing. Green and brown bands will be worn to some extent.

A soft telescope hat with colored underbrims—dark blue, brown or green —will be introduced in a split Milan. Bands will match.

The lightweight Bangkok are out in various new styles. One new origination introduces a soft felt brim, either in brown, tan, white or natural color, with the familiar Bangkok crown. They will cost $10.

One of the newest offerings in straw at the beginning of the season is known as the Duplex. This is a combination straw and felt hat, the crown being a Bangkok and the brim of felt. These are quite nifty, rather expensive and there are few of them on the market. Another novelty is a hat of white straw with brown, green or blue underbrims, also of straw, and bands to match.

One of the prettiest hats on the market is known as the "R. & R" or the "rough and ready" straw. It is woven from larger straw than ever before seen in hats and while it has a very stable appearance is as light as a feather.

Notice.

I will be at Dr. Todd's office till May 23rd. I treat all foot ailments, corn callouses, bunions, in-growing nails, broken arches, etc. Will make residence calls for ladies. Office phone 29. Residence, Mrs. Shipps, both phones. DR. TANDY.

FISH AND GAME LAW CHANGES.

Missouri Legislature Tightens Reins on Fishers and Hunters.

A number of changes in the fish and game laws of Missouri were made by the legislature this year.

Some of them are:

The open season for shooting squirrels will be from June to December. For quail and woodcock from November 10 to December 31 and for doves from August 1 to November 10.

These are the only changes in the game seasons. The bag limit for quail is 10 a day, but 30 birds may be in a hunter's possession after more than one day's shooting.

There are many changes in the law on fishing. The shooting of fish, hand fishing, logging and rock fishing are prohibited. Gigging is prohibited during January, February, March, April and December. At other times not more than 50 pounds may be taken in that manner in one day.

April and May are closed months, when fish may be caught only by single hook and line with natural bait.

Seining and netting fish with 2-inch mesh nets is permitted in the Mississippi and Missouri rivers except during April and May. Land owners may use these devises July, August and September.

All fish caught in seines and nets, if too small for use, all game fish caught in minnow seines and fish too large for bait must be returned to the stream.

Farmers, Attention!

Farm fire, lightning, cyclone and tornado insurance, either on the cash or installment plan. Home of New York. J. J. HEFFNER, Maryville, Mo.

Nyal's Liver Salts for stomach ills. Koch's Pharmacy.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—100. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 18,000.

Hogs—7,000. Market 5c higher; top, $7.95. Estimate tomorrow, 33,000.

Sheep—500. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—300. Market steady.

Hogs—1,000. Market 5c higher; top, $7.67.

Sheep—100. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—100. Market steady.

Hogs—3,200. Market 5c higher; top, $7.60.

Sheep—None. Market steady.

Carrollton Gets Militia.

A company of the Fourth regiment of the National Guards of Missouri will be organized at Carrollton within a few days to take the place of Company K at St. Joseph, which was disbanded recently. More than sixty-five men will start the new company off.

There are two other vacancies in the Fourth regiment. A number of other cities are petitioning for them. Among these are Stanberry, Rock Port Cameron and Mexico.

St. Joseph Guests Here.

Mrs. Guy Bowers and two daughters of St. Joseph came to Maryville yesterday noon to visit a few days with Mrs. Bowers' mother, Mrs. Anna Nocuna.

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THINKS U. S. WILL STOP WITH WORDS

Cologne Newspaper Says War Not Popular In America.

Amsterdam, May 15—The Cologne Volks Zeitung, commenting upon expressions of American opinion concerning the sinking of the Lusitania, says:

"Americans are very prone to criticise without any expectation that such fighting with words will make any great impression upon those whom they denounce. They feel relieved when they have given frank expression of their irritation. In America, however, war is most unpopular, because it destroys business. There is no need therefore to apprehend that America will join the war against us, but it may be taken for granted that the wave of anti-German hatred will continue to mount still higher. We deplore, but we cannot prevent it. Anti-German feeling is a product of agitation. It slowly mounted and will also slowly subside."

BARNES MAKES DENIAL

Says He Did Not Threaten to Vote Democratic Riff-Raff.

Syracuse, N. Y., May 15—William Barnes resumed the witness stand in the supreme court here to continue his direct testimony in his libel suit against Theodore Roosevelt.

William M. Ivans first asked Mr. Barnes about the testimony of Loyal W. France, a witness for Colonel Roosevelt, who quoted Mr. Barnes as saying in speaking of direct primaries that he could ruin the reputation of any man by throwing enough limelight upon him and that he could vote the riff raff of the Democratic party in the Republican primaries and so disgust the people that they would demand the repeal of the primary law.

"What I said to Mr. France," asserted Mr. Barnes, "was that I was against the primary law as it then stood. I said that the opposite party could injure any man in the primaries if it desired to do so."

"Did you say the system of direct primaries was subversive to party interests?"

"It couldn't be."

NO LONGER ON "GARTER" ROLL

King George Drops German and Austrian Royalty From List.

London, May 15.—The king, as sovereign of the Order of the Garter, says an official announcement issued, has given directions that the following names forthwith be struck off the roll of the knights of the order:

"The emperor of Austria, the German emperor, the king of Wurtemberg, the grand duke of Hesse, Prince Henry of Prussia, the duke of Saxe Coburg and Gotha, and the duke of Cumberland."

The Order of the Garter was constituted by King Edward II., in August, 1348. Since 1831 it has been constituted of the British sovereign and twenty-five knight companions, who were lineal descendants of King knights, who have been admitted by special statutes.

German Submarine Sunk In North Sea

Blythe, Eng'and, May 15.—A German submarine is reported to have been sunk in the North sea. The captain of the steamer Collairnie, on reaching port, stated that his vessel apparently had destroyed the submarine by ramming it off the Northumberland coast.

Reason For Holding Mauretania.

London, May 15.—The Cunard line announces that the only sailing date they have cancelled is that of the steamer Mauretania. This was cancelled, it is added, for the reason that there was not a sufficient demand for passenger accommodations to warrant running it.

SERIOUS RIOTS IN ROME AND MILAN

Disturbances In Italy Reach a Stage of Revolution.

MASSES CLAMOR FOR WAR.

Entire City Occupied by Military and Maddened Crowds Cry Out For Nation to Rush to Fray—Parliament Windows Are Broken.

Rome, May 15.—Premier Salandra has convoked a council of ministers, who are now meeting to make a decision relative to the present crisis.

Dispatches from Milan say serious rioting has broken out in that city over the present political situation. The adherents of the opposing political factions have resorted to the use of firearms and the situation is most grave.

The war agitation in Rome has assumed almost a revolutionary character. The entire city has been occupied by the military.

A riotous crowd made its way to the chamber of deputies and forced an entrance into the building by smashing windows.

Premier Salandra has insisted upon his resignation being accepted and King Victor Emmanuel has entrusted Gieuseppe Marcore, president of the chamber of deputies, with the task of forming a new cabinet.

Dispatches from all parts of Italy set forth that the receipt of the news of the resignation of the cabinet produced an extraordinary sensation. Partisans in Rome deduce that a large majority of the people are in favor of a policy of hostility against Austria.

DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Faith In Nation's Ability to Adapt Itself Financially to Conditions.

New York, May 15.—Dun's Review of Trade says:

The developments of the week afford new proof of the essential stability and power of our financial and business structure. While there is uncertainty as to the final outcome, there is faith in the ability of the nation to adapt itself with financial readiness to every contingency that may arise. Outside of the stock, cotton, and other equally sensitive markets, effects of the new war developments have not materially changed the generally favorable aspect of the trade situation.

With scarcely an exception statistical comparisons, by which business activity is measured, reflect progressive improvement and that the steady gain in bank clearings is not wholly due to the expansion in speculative operations is indicated by the continued increases at many of the leading centers outside of New York. Railroad earnings make a better exhibit and the larger traffic movement has resulted in a notable falling off in the number of idle cars. Failures and unemployment have been decreased. The iron and steel trade holds its own and continues on the same encouraging basis of output as before.

Delay Salvaging the F-4.

Honolulu, May 15.—Salvaging of the sunken submarine F-4 has been delayed owing to disablement of the divers engaged in the work. The divers are showinf the effects of the tremendous strain of working at a great depth, and all but Frank Crilly have been required to rest.

No Americans on Board.

New York, May 15.—Without an American on board the White Star liner Cymric sailed for Liverpool under the British flag. It had aboard 965 persons, including the crew of 400.

President Upheld In Crisis.

Omaha, May 15.—At the organization of the Nebraska Republican Publicity association last night support as Americans was pledged to President Wilson in the present crisis.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, May 15.—Closing prices: Wheat—May, $1.52½; July, $1.27⅞.
Corn—May, 73¼c; July, 76c.
Oats—May, 51¾c; July, 51⅛c.
Pork—July, $17.85. Sept., $18.17½.
Lard—July, $9.57½; Sept., $9.82½.
Ribs—July, $10.45; Sept., $10.72½.

Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, $1.55¼@1 56; No. 2 yellow corn, 75@76½c; No. 3 white oats, 52¾@53½c; standard, 53¾@54c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; steady; native beef steers, $6.80@9.25; westerns, $6@7.85; cows and heifers, $3.30@8.75; calves, $6.50@9.25. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; strong to 5@10c higher; bulk of sales, $7.60@7.75; light, $7.50@7.85; heavy, $7.15@7.75; rough, $7.15@7.35; pigs, $5.75@7.85. Sheep—Receipts, 7,000; weak; sheep, $7.90@8.60; lambs, $7.75@9.90.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, May 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 962; steady, beef steers, $7.25@8.80; cows and heifers, $4@8; stockers and feeders, $6@8; bulls, $5@6.75; calves, $8@10.50. Hogs—Receipts, 6,800; 5@10c higher; bulk of sales, $7.40@7.45; top, $7.50. Sheep—Receipts, 797; 20@30c higher; lambs $9@11 50; wethers, $8@8.75; ewes, $7.50@9.

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FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms downstairs; men preferred. 522 North Market. Hanamo phone 3344. 4-tf

FOR RENT—8-room modern residence at 222 East Sixth. Possession June 1. See Real Estate bank or address E. S. Cook, Jefferson, Gravois and Sidney Sts., St. Louis, Mo. 15-tf

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—100 automobiles and buggies to paint. Barmann Auto Co. 6-6

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

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DO YOU WANT A HOME. A convenient 4-room house, good basement, etc., 5 blocks from square. Must be sold. Terms. John Hansen, adm. 15-18

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, a limited number of sows, bred to suit purchaser. A. B. Dowden, Farmers phone 1-13. 10-tf

FOR SALE—Four bulls. Shorthorn and Bate's Strain. M. A. Nicholas, Farmers phone 2812. 13-19

FOR SALE—Sweet potato, tomato and pepper plant. O. P. Wade, Hanamo 504. 11-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—6-room house, garden spot and fruit, after April 1. Also 2,260 acres in Hooker county, Nebraska, for sale or lease. J. T. Hays, 405 West Twelfth. tf

PLANTS—We have thousands of sweet potato plants, cabbage, tomato, egg, pepper and blooming plants. We are in the plant business. Strader & Son, Maryville. 14-17

VICTROLAS TO TRADE—We will trade new victrolas and records for used piano. Phone or write and we will call on you. Landon Music Co. 14-20

Lost.

LOST—On the streets of Maryville, $40 in bills, some time Tuesday. Notify Democrat-Forum. 14-17

S C BROWN LEGHORNS exclusively. Fine layers. Eggs, $3.00 for 100. Mrs. J. R. Evans, Maryville, Mo., route 7. Mutual phone 15-13. 11-13

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

To Harvest With Engine.

C. L. Wilson, head if the farming firm of Wilson & Sons, near Burlington Junction, has ordered a new Mogul engine, which he expects to furnish traffic power this summer for harvesting his wheat crop, haul it to market, plow the ground in the late summer and sow the wheat next fall.

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Inquiries from Over District Apparent That Many Will Attend, Beginning May 26

The program for the summer session of the State Normal school was announced today. It provides for a total of one hundred and twenty-four classes distributed through eight periods of fifty minutes each.

The program represents nineteen different departments taught by a faculty and administration force of forty members. Sixty-three classes may be used for college rank credit and sixty-eight classes may be used for high school credits.

The regular faculty will be assisted by S. E. Deavis, formerly of the state public school department at Jefferson City, now studying in Columbia university, New York, who becimes head of the department of education and training: C. V. Singleton, a graduate of the college of agriculture, at Columbia, who will assist in the department of agriculture; George Palfreyman, Jr., a senior of the state university and an assistant to Coach Brewer of the department of physical education, will assist in the departments of manual training and physical education; Supt. George H. Beasley of Liberty, in mathematics; Supt. W. M. Westbrook, Maryville, in history and mathematics; Supt. B. F. Brown, Jameson, algebra and penmanship; Supt. J. L. Nierman, Hopkins, in German, and Miss Jane Hinote of Gentry, in home economics. At least two other instructors will assist in the program, but whose engagements are not definitely closed at this date.

Provide Special Lectures, Too.

An ample offering of subjects of study is provided to meet the new requirements of the state department in preparation for high school teaching. In addition to the regular class work the usual series of special lectures will be delivered by educators of national repute, including Dr. D. G. Strayer of the Teachers' college, New York; President B. R. Payne of Peabody College for Teachers, Nashville, Tenn.; Henry S. Curtis of Michigan; Supt. J. A. Whiteford, St. Joseph, and others whose engagements are not definitely closed.

The Coburn Players, who visited this school for the first time last year, will give three performances June 28, and 29. The plays to be presented this year are "The Yellow Jacket," "The Imaginary Sick Man" and "Midsummer Night's Dream."

Nine different types of students and teachers will be provided for in the program. The correspondence in the office of the Normal school relative to the offerings this year has been very heavy for the past four or five weeks, which indicates a satisfactory attendance during the summer.

TO SELL 60 ANGUS CATTLE.

Caldwells, Burlington Junction, to Offer Fine Stock to Public May 25.

C. D. Caldwell and E. F. Caldwell near Burlington Junction, will hold a public sale of sixty head of thoroughbred Aberdeen-Angus cattle at their farm, Tuesday, May 25. They have been arranging for the sale for several weeks. The lot consists of fifteen bulls and forty-five cows and heifers, selected from the Caldwell herd of 250 head.

Buyers from all sections of the country are expected.

Return from Plattsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Nusbaum have returned from a visit at Plattsburg with their daughter, Mrs. A. Swike and family.

Calendar of Normal School Commencement Exercises

Sunday—2.30 p. m., Normal school auditorium, annual sermon by Rev. S. D. Harkness.

Monday—10.00 a. m., Normal school auditorium, class day exercises.

2:00 p. m., east gymnasium, demonstration of Folk games and dances by children of training school closes, followed by annual track meet of training school on athletic field.

8:00 p. m., Normal school auditorium, annual class play, "Pygmalion." admission, 25 cents.

Tuesday—10:00 a. m., Normal school auditorium, annual commencement address by Hon. Frances B. Blair, state superintendent of public instruction, Springfield, Ill.

6:00 p. m., library study room, alumni meeting and banquet.

Special music is provided for each of these events by the Normal musical organizations. The Conservatory of Music joins with the Normal school in the baccalaureate services Sunday afternoon.

The public is cordially invited and urged to attend these several exercises, all of which are open to the public, except the alumni meeting and banquet at 6 o'clock p.m., Tuesday. We trust that es pecially we may have a large attend-ance of citizens to hear Superin tendent Blair Tuesday morning.

JEWELL BEATS NORMAL 4-1

Liberty Game Went 1-1 to Eighth Inning—Noblett and Leech Hit for Lone Run.

Special to the Democrat-Forum.

Liberty, Mo., May 15.—In the best conference game played here this season the William Jewells defeated the Maryville Normal base ball team yesterday afternoon by the score of 4 to 1. It went one to one up to the last half of the eighth inning, when the Jewell nine brought in two runs, and another in the ninth, cinching the game.

The lone run for Maryville was made in the fifth inning, when Noblett got a two-base hit, and Leech, with a single, brought him home. Leech also got one other hit, but failed to land anything on home. Bird also got a single.

Ham pitched a splendid game for the Normals—in fact, much better than when the Jewells defeated the Normal on its home grounds recently by a 6 to 0 score.

Brittain caught well. In fact, the Maryville aggregation showed splendid team work all through, but were outclassed by the Jewells' superior fielding. The loss of the game for the Normals also came about through the fact that the Normals' two errors were costly ones, while the Jewells' two bobbles were at times when there was no danger. Each side made four hits, so the work of Ham and Harl, pitcher for Jewell, was about even.

This makes seven consecutive victories this season for the Jewells, and not a game lost. It virtually cinches the conference championship for the Liberty collegians. The Tarkio team plays Jewell next Monday afternoon. The score.

	R.	H.	E.
Maryville	0	0	1
William Jewell	1	0	2

Batteries—Maryville, Ham and Brittain; Jewell, Harl and Crawford.

The lineup was:

Blagg, 1b; Ed Adams, 2b; Leech, 3b; Bird, ss; Vandersloot, lf; Noblett, cf; Lonnie Adams, rf; Ham, p; Brittain, c.

TO HOLD ALL-DAY SERVICE.

White Cloud Baptists Will Have Basket Dinner and Afternoon Program Tomorrow.

An all-day service will be held tomorrow at the White Cloud Baptist church, south, of the city. The usual preaching service will be held at 11 o'clock with sermon by pastor, the Rev. W. F. Estes. At noon a basket dinner will be served, and in the afternoon a program will be given.

Topics of especial interest to the Sunday school will be taken up at this time and addresses will be given by H. C. Bower, president of the County Sunday School association; Miss Eva Davis, secretary of the association; Mrs. Alfred Jones, Edward Busby and others.

YEOMAN SPIRIT IS REVIVED

Banquet to 75 Locals and Visitors Precedes Initiation of 40—Head of Order Speaks.

The local homestead of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen came to life last night, after a siesta of about fourteen years, with a banquet to seventy-five visiting and local Yeomen, followed by the initiation of a class of nearly forty new members. While last night's feast was designated as the second annual one, the real truth of the matter is that the first was held a decade and a half ago. But indications are that the next "annual" affair is just a year in the offing.

Besides the sixty-odd Yeomen of Maryville, Wilcox and Burlington Junction, there were present from the Gate City homestead of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Galvin, J. E. Vrooman and C. L. Vrooman. Mr. Galvin is correspondent of the Gate City lodge, while C. L. Vrooman is state manager of the Yeomen. J. E. Vrooman is a son. W. E. Davy of Des Moines, chief correspondent of the Yeomanry, accompanied by Mrs. Davy, also was present.

An eight-piece orchestra furnished the music for the banquet. The speakers were Mr. Davy, Mr. Galvin, C. L. Vrooman and John Aley, foreman of the Maryville homestead. William F. Smith was toastmaster.

The initiation of the new members was then held in the Woodmen of the World hall, which the local Yeomen homestead will use each Friday night. The initiatory work was directed by Mr. Galvin. A social hour was then spent.

The election of officers and reorganization will be held next Friday night.

PLAN LINCOLN COMMENCEMENT.

Hold Exercises for Eighth Grade Graduates at Elmo, May 20.

Commencement exercises for the eighth grade graduates of the public schools of Lincoln township will be held in Elmo next Thursday night, May 20. There are several to graduate at that time. Prof. Bert Cooper, county school superintendent, will make a short address and present the diplomas. The following program has been announced:

Music—Elmo orchestra.
Recitation—Possum Walk school.
Duet—Dawson school.
Dialogue—Salem school.
Vocal solo—Elizabeth Cloe Davis.
Recitation—North Grove school.
Music—Elmo orchestra.
Drill—Elmo school.
Recitation—Dawson school.
Vocal solo—High Prairie school.
Reading—Lorain school.
Recitation—Lorain school.
Instrumental solo—Elmo school.
Reading—White Chapel school.
Reading—Union school.
Duet—Mt. Tabor school.
Recitation—North Prairie school.
Reading—Elmo school.
Farce—Union school.
Music—Elmo orchestra.
Address and presentation of diplomas—Supt. Bert Cooper.
Music—Elmo orchestra.

Will Return to Maryville.

Mrs. Myrtle Hackett, Mrs. John Boyer, Mrs. William Springer and Mrs. R. L. Key of Burlington Junction motored to Maryville and spent the day yesterday. Mrs. Keyq is a former resident of Maryville and expects to move back in a short time.

Notice to Delinquent Tax Payers

Having been requested by the court to proceed to collect all back taxes both Personal and Real Estate that have been delinquent more than one year. Those knowing themselves to be in arrears will please call and settle and save cost of issuing Tax Bill.

W. R. TILSON,
Treas. and ExOfficio Col.

TO ADDRESS CLASS

THE REV. S. D. HARKNESS TO NORMAL GRADUATES TOMORROW.

PLEA FOR EARNESTNESS

Will Show Loss of Best Ideals of Past Generation, Then Advise Change—Class Day Monday.

The beginning of the various graduating exercises for the 1915 Normal class of thirty-four seniors will be the class sermon, to be delivered at 2.30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon in the Normal auditorium by the Rev. S. D. Harkness, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. From that time on for almost a week there will be event after event at the Normal to mark the close of the 1914-1915 regular term, May 21.

The Conservatory of Music will join in the services tomorrow.

Mr. Harkness will take as the topic of his class address "The Decline of Idealism in the Republic."

Monday to Be Class Day.

Monday will be devoted to the annual class day exercises and festival. It will begin in the Normal auditorium at 10 o'clock Monday morning, with the class day exercises. It will consist of both vocal and instrumental music, speeches and the presentation of the class canes by Miss Doris Callahan, vice president of the 1915 class.

The presentation, by Meriam Bleeck, of the annual class gift to the Normal will follow. It will consist of two drinking fountains, to be located at each side of the front entrance to the lower corridor. They are of handsome design.

The class day morning program is:

Piano solo—Pearl Wilkerson.
Class oration—Mattie Dykes.
Piano solo—Ada May Brown.
Presentation of class can—Doris Callahan.
Quartet—Fay McPherron, Clara Meyer, Marie Meyer, Orlo Quinn.
Presentation of class gift—Meriam Bleeck.
Response—W. A. Blagg, president of the board of regents.

This will be followed at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon by the annual class day festival and pageant, in which the training school pupils will take part. It will be held on the campus south of the Normal building. The training school pupils will have folk games, and the various school organizations will participate in the afternoon activities.

The Class Play Cast.

The class day exercises will close that night with the annual class play, which will begin in the Normal auditorium at 7:30 o'clock. It will be a five-act modern comedy drama by Bernard Shaw, entitled "Pygmalion." The cast for the play is as follows:

Prof. Higgins—Silas Skelton.
Colonel Pickering—Fred Lewis.
Alfred Doolittle—Ray McPherron.
Freddie Hill—William Utter.
Mistress Higgins—Francyl Rickenbrode.
Mistress Pearse—Myrtle Hogue.
Mistress Hill—Doris Callahan.
Miss Hill—Gladys Holt.
Eliza Doolittle—Jane Gladstone.
Parlor Maid—Elizabeth Cook.
Bystanders—Eugene Cummins, Vivian Seat, Myrtle Wells, Barbara Millan, Marie Medsker, Hattie Hall and Alice Pemberton.

It is a comedy drama full of amusing situations throughout and has received much commendation wherever dramatized and shown. The students in the cast have been working hard for weeks on the play. Miss Beatrix Winn, teacher, is directing the work.

GIVES ILLUSTRATED LECTURE.

Scudder School Pupils and Patrons Are Entertained by Professor Cameron.

Prof. John E. Cameron of the State Normal school entertained the pupils and patrons of the Scudder school with an illustrated lecture Thursday night on the subject "Amid the Rockies and the Yellowstone Park."

Miss Isora Mutz, the teacher of the school, planned the entertainment as one of the closing events of the term. A picnic dinner, enjoyed by pupils and parents yesterday, completed a successful term.

Merchants Give Free Matinee.

A free matinee at the Grand opera house was given this afternoon by the merchants of Burlington Junction to all persons calling at the various stores for the tickets. It is planned to give a series of these free entertainments to the customers at Burlington Junction shops.

TO 27 HIGH 'GRADS'

THE REV. L. M. HALE TALKS TO CLASS TOMORROW NIGHT.

'A FACTOR OF VICTORY'

Local Seniors Will Be Shown Elements of Victorious Living—Christian Choir Furnishes Music.

The annual address to the graduating class of the Maryville high school, which this year numbers twenty-seven seniors, will be delivered in the First Christian church at 8 o'clock tomorrow night by the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church. He will speak on "A Fundamental Factor of Victorious Living."

The music for the occasion will be furnished by the choir of the Christian church, directed by Prof. H. B. Schuler. Several special numbers have been arranged for the service. It will be on this occasion that the students composing the graduating class will make their initial appearance in caps and gowns.

The class sermon tomorrow night will be followed next week by numerous student activities. The climax comes next Friday night with the commencement exercises. Forrest C. Donnell of St. Louis, a former Maryville student, will deliver the address. That day also will be class day, in the afternoon of which there will be the presentation of a play and musical numbers by the several school organizations and societies.

PHILOS DEFEAT EUREKANS

Normal Inter-Society Literary Contest Results in 4-0 Victory—To Be Annually.

The Philomatheans defeated the Eurekan Literary society in the initial inter-society literary contest held at the Normal Thursday night and last night, by the score of 4 to 0. The success of the venture has resulted in the event being planned annually.

The debate was held Thursday night with the Philomathean debaters winning, as previously announced. Last night the oratorical and declamatory contests were held and the winners of the essay contest announced, with the Philomathean representatives getting first in each. The judges were the Rev. R. L. Finch, Fred Hull and Miss Alicia Keeler, high school teacher.

In the oratorical contest, Henry A. Miller of the Philos, won over Lowell L. Livengood of the Eurekans. In the declamations, Miss Gladys Holt of the Philos won over Miss Jane Gladstone, representing the Eurekans.

In the essay contest on the topic "The Wastes of War," William Utter, Philomathean, took first; Miss Harriett VanBuren, Eurekan, second, and Miss Charlotte Mallory, Philomathean, third.

The winner in each contest—debate, oration, declamation and essay—got one point, each being won by a Philomathean representative. The one getting second in essays gets a place on the bronze tablet to be established at the Normal for recording Normal contest honors in various contests. The third place is merely an honorary one.

The contest last night was attended by a fairly large crowd of both students and townspeople. Each society has between 30 to 35 members, the maximum allowed being 36 members. The musical specialties last night consisted of an orchestral number, an octet, a violin solo by W. Lee Griffin, Normal orchestra director, and two numbers by the Normal glee club.

SENDS OUT STATE TAX MONEY.

Public Utility and Merchants' Tax Levy to County Towns, Schools and Townships.

About $13,000 collected from merchants of the county and public utilities doing business in Nodaway county collected on 1914 tax, is being sent out today by County Treasurer W. R. Tilson, to the various towns, townships and schools of the county, entitled to state aid.

Maryville schools will get $1,676.94 in state aid while Polk township will get $469.35. The township also will receive slightly more than $1,700 in road and bridge money and about $900 in special road and bridge funds, as a result of the voting of $50,000 special fund last year.

Plan Weekly Band Concert.

Arrangements have been made at Elmo to give a band concert each Saturday night from 8 to 9 o'clock, to attract patronage and as an entertainment for townspeople.

REDUCE SCHOOL LEVY HERE

Board Deducts 1¼ Cents on Sinking Fund Levy and 12¾ On Interest Fund.

At a special meeting of the school board held this morning, the levy was materially reduced on the school bond issue. A reduction of 26½ cents on the $100 valuation to 25 cents for the sinking fund of the bond issue, and of 23¾ cents to 10 cents for the interest fund of the bond issue was ordered. The levy will become effective at once and will reduce the school taxes this year.

There has been $28,000 paid off on the bonds. The total issue was for $75,000. In July $4,000 more will be paid off.

PROGRAM DRAWS BIG CROWD

St. Patrick's School Students Present Splendid Entertainment at Empire.

The entertainment given last night at the Empire theater by the students of St. Patrick's parochial school was attended by a big crowd of interested people. Every seat in the auditorium and gallery was taken and every one enjoyed the program, which was given entirely by the pupils. The program is an annual one and is participated in by high school and grade pupils.

Several of the numbers last night were particularly fine and much applauded. "The Bell in the Forest," a two-act operetta, and a one-act playlet called "No Cure ,No Pay" were cleverly presented. The primary children gave several numbers that were especially praised.

The graduation exercises of the school will be held about June 15, in the parish hall of St. Patrick's church.

MERCHANT TRIES SUICIDE.

S. C. Goff of Conception Junction Swallows Poison in Attempt To End Life.

S. C. Goff, a merchant of Conception Junction, attempted suicide Wednesday night by drinking about one-half pint of wood alcohol. Mr. Goff came to the town several months ago and engaged in business. It is said he had met with several financial reverses during the past few years, and worry over this has caused repeated spells of melancholia.

After swallowing the liquid Wednesday night he informed members of his family as to what he had done. Dr. W. P. Stuckle was called and administered antidotes which counteracted the effects of the poison.

Mr. Goff refused to allow the physician to administer treatment, and it was only after unconsciousness began to come from the effects of the poison that Dr. Stuckle could give the prescribed treatment. Mr. Goff is recovering slowly.

EXPECT DREDGE HERE, JULY 1.

Straightening of 102 River Progresses Slowly, District Secretary Reports.

The dredge boat which is being used to clean out the old channel and straighten the course of the 102 river in Nodaway county is now about six miles from Maryville, according to H. H. McClurg of Pickering, secretary of the drainage district, while he was in Maryville yesterday. He says the work has been delayed a couple of days to prepare a dam with which to float the dredge boat where it now is being used.

If no unforeseen delays result, Mr. McClurg expects the dredging to be completed to the municipal water plant here by July 1, perhaps a few days sooner.

TO OBSERVE MOTHER'S DAY.

Buchanan Street Methodist Church Will Hold Special Service Tomorrow.

A special service, Mother's Day, will be held tomorrow at the Buchanan street Methodist church On account of the absence from the city of the pastor, the Rev. John H. Hubbard, the service which should have been held last Sunday will be given at the morning hour of worship tomorrow.

The church will be attractively decorated and a carnation will be given to all attending. The Rev. Mr. Hubbard will give an appropriate sermon and there will be special music.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

FLY IN WHEAT; SOME IS YELLOW

NODAWAY TOWNSHIP FARMERS SAY HESSIAN PEST AGAIN.

WORSE IN UNPLOWED FIELDS THEY REPORT

S. S. Webb, Burlington Junction, Says Larvae Are at Stalk's Base—Crops Need Rain.

The Hessian fly is doing much damage to the growing wheat of Nodaway county, according to reports beginning to come in from the farmers in various sections. What to do is puzzling them. The government experts have issued advice not to plow it up until later At least, though many feel that if it is to be turned under it should be done so at once in order to supplant it with corn.

Many yellow streaks are noticeable in the wheat fields it is reported. Especially wheat which was sown last fall on corn stalk ground, that was not plowed but merely drilled in. S. S. Webb, a farmer living southeast of Burlington Junction, informed the Democrat-Forum that an inspection of his thirty-acre field, resulted in his finding much evidence of the dreaded insect.

Cuts Down Corn Yield.

Mr. Webb sowed his wheat in corn ground, unplowed or disced. In fact he drilled it between the corn rows. He says the fly is yet in the maggot and larvae stage but that they are working up in the plant. They now are near the base of the stalk and slowly eating at the roots and sapping the stalk. It is believed the yield will be considerably diminished.

Where the flies were not noticeable he said his wheat now was about knee-high but in the infested spots only about six inches high. It will be heading about May 25, he said. Mr. Webb said he found no chinch bugs however. He believes there probably were some.

Roy Boyer, living about 3 miles southeast of Burlington Junction, is said to have also found some indications of the Hessian fly, but his wheat is virtually green in those spots yet.

Mr. Webb says the oats are needing rain badly and that a rain would be highly beneficial to all crops and pastures.

LYCEUM DECISION DEFERRED

Bureau Committee Meets Monday Afternoon to Select Season Talent.

With a desire to give more time to consider the several propositions and to await the attendance of a full representation, it was decided by the Maryville Lyceum Association committee yesterday afternoon to hold an adjourned session of the board again Monday afternoon in the Commercial Club rooms at 4:30 o'clock.

Most of the representatives were present at the meeting yesterday afternoon, but no definite action was taken relative to selecting a program for the 1915-16 lyceum season here.

Those present yesterday and what organization they represented were: Dean G. H. Colbert, Normal; the Rev. R. L. Finch, First Christian church; The Rev. L. M. Hale, First Baptist church; The Rev. G. S. Cox, First Methodist church; The Rev. J. H. Hubbard, Buchanan Street Methodist church; Mrs. W. C. Van Cleve, City Federated clubs; Mrs. M. G. Tate, P. E. O. society; Mrs. E. G. Orear, G. A. R.; Mrs. D. J. Thomas, Twentieth Century

W. A. Blagg was in Kansas City yesterday on business.

THE WEATHER

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A GOOD WEEK FOR EVERY TOWN.

Lewis Moore, the live publisher of the Border Telephone, at Hume, Missouri, has inaugurated a "pay up" week for his town. The first week in July has been designated as the week when everybody in Hume must liquidate all debts in some manner and put all the town in a proper state of mind to endure the hot days of the coming summer.

The Chinese have a rule that everybody must settle all obligations on January first. Brother Moore has no doubt bought a new press or a new case of type and he deems it advisable to move the date up a little. But whatever the reason may be, the day should be well observed. It is intended that every man who owes another shall pay him or make some sort of a settlement. All borrowed articles, even to umbrellas and books must be returned. All misunderstandings and differences between citizens are to be adjusted and the day is to end with a jollification and the next day is to dawn on a new era of good business and good feeling.

The idea is a good one. Commercially speaking, too much time is generally devoted to "doing business" and not enough to settling up, taking a general inventory of the town's affairs and learning exactly where we stand. Perhaps if all knew their exact financial status there would be fewer debts made. Anyway, we can think of nothing more wholesome or desirable than at least one day in which every man can meet every other man and look him square in the eye with the knowledge that he don't owe any man a cent that is due.

The effect of a general personal and social settlement is beyond the dreams of the most pronounced optimist. Half of the ill feeling and personal differences and prejudices against our fellows are based on misunderstanding and false assumptions. And then think of the delights of a day in which every borrowed article had been returned. There ought to be several of such weeks in Maryville in every year. And, if there were, evangelists, preachers and givers of good advice generally would be an extravagant superfluity, for the millennium would be upon us.

SOME ADVICE ON SAVING.

A prominent railroad man advises working men to buy land, but to hang onto their jobs. The many thousands who have gone from the cities to the farm with the idea that farming consisted only in watching crops grow into easy money will recognize in this a bit of wholesome advice. The average town-bred boy who goes to the farm without any previous training or experience has a disappointment coming that is only equaled by the country boy or girl who leaves the farm "to accept" positions at small salaries in the cities. The system of living and making a success in city and country are as different as the conduct of different kinds of business, and the man who changes and hopes to make a success must study and learn, and, while he is doing that, it is a most excellent idea to hold fast to that which he hath, if he has anything to hold to. Farming has become a science and the man who makes success of it must know his business and be on the job. He must use brain and brawn. Likewise the man who lives in town, in these days of high prices and high living, and saves more than enough to pay his rent is a scientist of no mean order and a citizen to command your attention. The wise man with a job will buy land and keep the job and the wise farmer who has a farm and wants to go to town will still hang onto the farm.

Whatever may be the ultimate result of the unfortunate sinking of the Lusitania and the loss of more than a hundred American lives, there is but one thing for Americans to do, and that is to stand solidly behind the president and with all Americans. It is fortunate in this hour of world-wide anger and war contagion that has spread to almost every quarter of the globe, that we have a president who is cool, calm, dispassionate and possessed with a desire to deal justly with all. Whatever may be our prejudices, we may rest with a security that there will be no war if it can be honorably avoided, and that if there is it will be a war behind which the people will gather, all for one, united and inseparable.

The government of Italy cannot be accused of precipitating a war upon its people with undue haste. For six months the people of Italy have been clamoring for war, while the government has been apparently trying to save them from it

Delegates returning from the recent undertakers' convention at Kansas City report that there was not a "dead one" in the bunch.

SCHOOL OPERETTA EARNS $60.

Performance Given by Washington Grade Pupils is Highly Successful.

The operetta given last night by the grade pupils of the Washington school was attended by about 400 patrons. The play was called "In A Flower Garden" and was presented by the children of the various rooms. Every one attending was greatly delighted with the performance which was remarkably well given.

The gross receipts were $75 and the expense attached to the giving of the operetta was about $15. The proceeds are to buy a victrola for the school. One of the especial school machines will be purchased and will be for the use of the lower floor students.

TO HELP DEDICATE SCHOOL.

Normal Head and Booster Speak at Mound City Dedication May 19.

The new $35,000 high and grade school building just completed by Lincoln Bent at Mound City will be formally opened in a dedication to be held there next Wednesday. President Ira Richardson of the Normal and A. N. Lindsey of Clinton, publicity agent of the Normal, will be among the list of speakers at the dedicatory exercises in the afternoon.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Midweek service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.

Reading room in Michau building open every afternoon from 2 till 5 o'clock. Every one is cordially invited to attend the services and to the use of the reading room.

First Methodist.
Gilbert S. Cox. pastor.

The usual services will be held tomorrow morning.

Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock with sermon by pastor. Subject, "The Ascension."

The congregation will unite with the other churches of the city in attending the commencement sermon for the high school graduates to be given at the First Christian church by the Rev. Lewis M. Hale.

First Baptist.
Lewis M. Hale, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock.

The Men's Organized Bible class will meet tomorrow in the church instead of at the court house.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock with sermon by pastor. Sermon subject, "The Secret of Steadfastness." The musical program will be: Anthem, "Sweeter As the Years Go By," by the choir, and Mrs. W. M. Westbrook will sing "Teach Me to Pray," by Jewitt.

B. Y. P. U. service at 7 o'clock.

No preaching service at the evening hour on account of the high school graduating class exercises.

First Presbyterian.
Samuel D. Harkness, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock with sermon by pastor. Subject, "The Risks of Religion." There will be no preaching service in the evening on account of the pastor going to Fairfax to preach the class sermon for the high school graduates.

The Young People's club will meet at 7 o'clock. The program will be a debate upon the subject "Resolved that national prohibition is the only way to stop intemperance." The affirmative will be taken by Harvey Watson and Kenneth Van Cleve, and the negative by James Gray and Philip Colbert.

Buchanan Street Methodist Church.
John H. Hubbard, pastor.

Our motto still is all at Sunday school and on time. We shall never be satisfied until every member of the church is in the Sunday school.

Preaching service at 10:45 o'clock. We are making a special effort to get every member of the church at services tomorrow morning. All work to this end. Our Mother's day service will be held at this time. A committee is decorating the church and everyone attending will be given a flower. We will also have some special music.

Epworth League at 7 p. m., and the usual preaching at 8 o'clock .

Everyone is cordially invited to attend all services.

First Christian.
Robert L. Finch, minister.

The minister has prepared a sermon for young men and women of our schools and colleges who attend the Christian church. He respectfully urges that they be present at the morning hour. Sermon subject, "Jesus' Unchanging Purpose and Mine." Our morning audiences have been splendid but we should make this service tomorrow one of great power by a very full and enthusiastic hearing. You ought to catch the inspiration of the Bible school hour at 9:30. Come at 9:30 and stay with us through the services. The choir, under the direction of Prof. H. B. Schuler, will render the anthem "Forever With the Lord," by Gounod.

Our Endeavor societies will have a union meeting, led by Miss Hope, at 7 o'clock.

The high school baccalaureate sermon will be preached in our church by the Rev. Lewis M. Hale of the First Baptist church. Our choir will sing "O Lord, How Manifold Are Thy Works," by Barnby. Mrs. F. P. Robinson and Professor Schuler will sing the duet, "Love Divine, O Love Excelling," by Stainer. All the churches will unite in this service.

At 2:30 p. m. the minister will preach in the Arkoe Christian church. A number of men from Maryville will accompany the pastor. If you should be motoring in the direction of Arkoe stop in for the service.

Ellison Guests Leave.

Mrs. E. D. Holland of Hot Springs, Ark., and her sister, Mrs. Ike Thomas Pryor of Fort Stockton, Texas, who have been visiting their parents, Judge and Mrs. William C. Ellison, departed for their home this morning.

FOLK GRADUATES IN FINALS

Class of 19 Passes Out With Commencement Here—Track Meet for Rural Pupils.

A class of nineteen eighth grade pupils of twelve public schools of Polk township and two from outlying districts were formally graduated in a commencement exercise held this afternoon in the First Christian church. The graduates represented the following schools: Star of the West, Bedison, Highland, Shell Grove, Bell Grove, Elm Grove, Union, Council Corners, Martha Washington, Ireland, Herron, Scudder, Howell and Rockford.

A program consisting of instrumental and vocal numbers, and recitations was rendered by pupils representing the various schools. The invocation was made by the Rev. G. S. Cox. Bert Cooper, county superintendent, made a short class address and presented the diplomas. Maulding's orchestra also gave several instrumental numbers.

Following the commencement exercises, a free-for-all track meet for rural school pupils of the township, both boys and girls, was begun at 3:30 o'clock on the north side of the square. Ten events are being contested for. There is a first prize of $1.00 and a second prize of 50 cents. Quite a number of boys and some girls from over the township are competing.

Nyal's Liver Salts for derangement of the Kidneys. Koch Pharmacy.

FLEMMING WINS TROPHY CUP.

Got 29 Points in Maryville High School Track Meet Held Yesterday.

George Flemming won the trophy cup for the largest individual point winning, in the Maryville high school track meet held at the Normal yesterday afternoon with 29 points. Ellison Frank with 21½ points, took second place and Verne Pickens, third, with 20 points. Eugene and Ralph Yehle, tied for fourth place with 16 points each. Ralph is a freshman. He won first in two events, however.

The number of points won by the highest twelve was: Flemming, 29; Frank, 21½; Pickens, 20; E. Yehle, and R. Yehle, 16 each; Glass 12½; Scott, 5; Irwin Harris, Nixon, Halasey, 3 each; Berney Harris, 2; Kenneth Van Cleve, 1.

The presentation of the trophy cup to Flemming and the four ribbons awarded in each event, will be presented in a special assembly of the High school Monday morning.

The letters won in basket ball and track meets also will be presented then if they arrive by that time. Those who get an "M" in basket ball are: Homer Scott, Fred Gray, Harley Hughes and Kenneth Van Cleve, George Flemming, Eugene Yehle, Verne Pickens, Claude Glass and Ellison Frank, each get an "M" in track work.

The pupils of the grades will probably hold a track meet at the Normal or fair grounds next Thursday afternoon.

The winners of first, second, third and fourth places in each event yesterday afternoon, and record of first winner are as follows:

100-yard dash — Flemming, E. Yehle, Pickens, Glass. Time, 11 1-5 sec.

220-yard dash — Flemming, E. Yehle, Pickens, Van Cleve. Time, 26 seconds.

440-yard dash — Flemming, Pickens, Frank, Halasey. Time, 58 2-5 sec.

Half Mile — Pickens, Frank, Halasey, Flemming. Time, 2 min., 27 sec.

120-yard High Hurdles—Frank Pickens, Glass and E. Yehle, tied. Time, 19:4 sec.

220-yard Low Hurdles—Pickens, Flemming, Frank, E. Yehle. Time, 29:3 sec.

Running High Jump—R. Yehle, Frank and E. Yehle, tied for second, Nixon. Heighth, 5 ft. 4 in.

Running Broad Jump—Frank, E. Yehle, Flemming, R. Yehle. Heighth, 18 ft. 9½ in.

Pole Vault—R. Yehle, Glass, Flemming, E. Yehle. Heighth, 9 ft. 6 in.

Shot Put—Scott, I. Harris, Glass, Nixon. Distance, 30 ft. 4 in.

Discus—Glass, Flemming, B. Harris, Nixon. Distance, 78 ft. 5¼ in.

Hop, Step and Jump—R. Yehle, Flemming, Frank, E. Yehle. Distance, 39 ft. 3 in.

A noticeable feature of the athletic events, is that of the twelve who won points, four are sophmores, they being Flemming, Frank, E. Yehle and Berney Harris, Jr. Two of them got first and second place. Three were seniors, four juniors and one freshman.

A picnic to all High school students was held in the Normal park after the track meet.

STRAYED—A red gilt, weight about 240 pounds. Please notify Elihu Busby. 15-18

LOST—About 4 million ice cream packers. If you have one phone me—Reuillard. 15-18

When You Think
Dry Goods
THINK OF
Haines
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CAN BE EXAMPLE TO YOUTHS.

Jesse Willard, With Good Habits and Morals, a Lesson-Teacher.

Say, Jess Willard of Kansas—six foot six and clean and fit from the ground up—no man who has lived in the United States in a quarter of a century has had greater opportunity to do incalculable good. And you don't have to preach, either, Jess, or wear a long face or feign false pieties. Right now you are the hero of two or three million boys and youths scattered throughout this big free country. They worship the fine brawn nature gave you, they dote on your power to endure pain without "hollering." They know the measurement of your biceps, your fighting weight, the size of your big strong bones, the width of your tremendous chest and the length of your reach. They talk about you, dream about you, idolize you, imitate you, would fight for you. That's fine, isn't it, and ought to make you feel good, —and grand? But heavy, heavy hangs over the head of a man whom a boy looks up to—and three million look up to you. What a load, Jess, and what a responsibility for one man to carry; but he can if he will. Mayhap—who knows—God fashioned your huge body and put an iron will in it for a single purpose. Did he not raise up Samson, even though Samson failed. Take it that way, Jess, and put yourself a willing instrument in God's hands. They say you love your wife and babies. Stick to 'em. They say you won't drink. Adhere to it as you value your eternal soul. You yourself have said that neither the praises of men nor the adulation of women could move you, but it's going to be a hard fight, old chap. That under the hot sun at Havana won't be a circumstance. Destruction will encompass you about. It will fight foul and strike below guard. It will creep upon you, dope you, poison you, anything to get you. Still, a man can if he will. Go not down into the valley of Sorek where the women of Philistia await to rob you of your might. Cut the blondtops and the small pale girls with incessant eyes and their faces varnished with Japalac. Chuck the cigarette, and the first blear eyed weakling who asks you to take a drink land on him with one of those mighty right hand smashes. Keep your feet away from the base rail and your elbows off the mahogany. The sizz of the seltzer bottle is an abomination and the music of the ice crystals worketh destruction. Booze and women can lick the best man who ever lived, in a 20-foot ring or out. Shun 'em, Jess. Show us what Kansas can do. Give it to us to see a prize fighter arrive to a fine old age, clean and wholesome, his grandchildren about his knee. Imagine the beauty of such a spectacle and buckle to. How God must love a man when He gives him the chance, by clean living, to lead three million boys into paths of decency and self-restraint. Think of it, Jess, for heavy, heavy, heavy hangs over your head. If you falter may God give you a sound punching and make you toe the mark. It's up to you, Jess, the finest chance a man ever had. The eyes of ninety million people are on you.—Tom Bodine in the Paris (Mo.) Mercury.

WALTER BORMAN DIES.

Succumbs Last Night—Funeral to be Held at Wilcox Tomorrow.

Walter Borman, a farmer living east of Burlington Junction, died last night, his death following a short illness with pneumonia. He is survived by a wife and five children. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at Wilcox.

BARNARD WINS LIBRARY.

Bible Institute at First Methodist Church Well Attended.

The Methodist Sunday school of Barnard was awarded the Sunday school library offered by the Bible teachers' institute held Thursday and Friday at the First Methodist church, for the Sunday schools outside of Maryville having the largest representation at the meeting. A great many out-of-town delegates were in attendance yesterday afternoon and evening. The lecture last night by the Rev. James V. Thompson of Chicago closed the two days' meeting.

The delegates registered at the institute were:

Barnard—Mrs. A. J. Price, Steve A. Roach, Mrs. Everett Davis, Mrs. J. R. Turner, John R. Turner, Mrs. N. C. Cole, Mrs. M. V. Baker, James E. Akey, Leonard S. Mendenhall, Rev. John Lee Bilby, Eulah M. Pearce, Blanche C. Stalling, Henry Hulling, Mrs. Jennie Henderson, D. D. Hopper, Mrs. Bertha Miller, D. D. Hooper, Mrs. Jennie Henderson, Mary Lucile Cole, Geo. W. Cole, George Thompson, Mrs. George Thompson, Lena Carman, Irene Henderson, F. H. Badger, Edna Dane, William H. Miller, Elmer L. Miller, Opal Snyder.

Maryville—Dr. W. B. Christy, J. E. O'Neal, Dessa Gault, Mrs. Dora Holbrook, Mrs. H. C. Bower, Lucile Airy, Henry E. Wright, Mrs. H. E. Wright, Anice Ingerson, Mrs. H. J. Kelley, Adam Kern, Bessie Dane, Mrs. W. S. Partridge, Mrs. Arthur A. Wiley, N. Elizabeth Evans, Vada Foland, Mrs. Z. R. Alexander, Mrs. Lula Hulet, Mrs. Hotchkin.

Grant City—Louise Allen, Ruth A. Foland, Rev. J. Jay Cokely, Mrs. John C. Dawson, John C. Dawson, Jr., Mrs. Mabelle Phipps, Mrs. Charles Kirkpatrick, Mary E. Bishop, Mrs. Lou Marshall, Mrs. Loriene Long, Gertrude Foland Minnie Martin, Mrs. Talmage D. Fry, W. I. Lewis, Rev. Talmage D. Fry, Carilyn Tandy.

Skidmore—Mrs. J. C. Spahr, Mrs. J. O. Miller, J. O. Miller, Mrs. Theodore Gray, Reuben Barrett, Fred M. Barrett, Mrs. Maggie Parrish, Bessie Mitchell, Mrs. C. H. Sauceman, J. C. Spahr, Rev. C. H. Sauceman, S. Saunders, Lusa Saunders.

Maitland—Catherine Edwards, Mrs. Lee McIntyre, Mrs. Anna Southwell, Mrs. Nannie Lacey, E. B. Stout, Miss Ella Elliott, Mrs. Lester Hodgin, Mrs. J. E. Weller, A. B. Crider, Rev. Alva C. Brown, Mrs. Alva C. Brown.

Westboro—Rev. E. C. Robinson, W. H. Shellenberger, Mrs. W. H. Shellenberger, Mrs. E. L. Robison, H. E. Miller.

Ravenwood—L. O. Grantham, Neva Grantham, Mrs. L. O. Grantham, Dea Richardson, Mrs. J. M. Slagle, J. M. Slagle, Mrs. J. A. Grantham, J. H. Grantham.

Clearmont—Alma Pence, Mrs. H. W. McClain, H. W. McClain, Mrs. Mary Griffey, Mrs. C. C. McDermitt, Mrs. N. E. Bottom, Eva Davison.

Burlington Junction—Myrtle Griffey, T. A. Corken, Mabel Graham, Katherine Miller, Helen Hollis, Mrs. Jess Jones, Rev. Tom C. Middleton.

Tarkio—Rev. W. S. Welsh, Bess Jackson, Clarice Lett, Beatrice Earle, P. R. Low, Mrs. P. R. Low, Rev. E. L. Spiller.

Mound City—Grace Stubbs, Mrs. W. E. Stubbs, W. E. Stubbs, C. E. Owens, Rev. J. H. Walker.

Pickering—Mrs. S. P. Stillman, Rev. S. P. Stillman, Mrs. C. A. Wolfers, C. A. Wolfers.

Stanberry—Rev. George P. Sturges, Mrs. W. S. Harden, Mrs. Ira Isle, Mrs. R. F. McHenry, Daisy McHenry.

Bolckow—Mrs. H. J. Moody, Rev. H. J. Moody, John Harding.

Rea—Mrs. C. S. Crowder, Rev. C. S. Crowder.

Rock Port—A. H. Wisely, Irene Cokely, Leah Bradley.

Elmo—Rev. Frank Smutz, Mrs. W. B. Woodman.

Hopkins—Rev. J. H. McNamee, Mrs. H. McNamee.

Wyeth—Vada Ray.

Quitman—Ethel Gillinger.

Cameron—Mrs. C. S. Stevens.

Fillmore—Lula Wiley.

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Dr. H. S. Rowlett wishes to announce he is now located in the Sisson building, over Crane's jewelry and book store. Internal medicine. Office hours, 8:30 to 11 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m. Sunday by appointment.

Hears About Balloon.

The balloon that was found by Arthur A. Wiley on his farm Monday, and which was sent to the weather bureau at Washington, was from Fort Omaha, Neb., according to a letter received by Mr. Wiley from that department today.

The ascension was made from that place and its purpose was to obtain a record of changes in air pressures, temperature, humidity and wind at high altitudes. Mr Wiley received $2 for finding and sending it in.

Miss McPherron Here.

Miss Myrtle McPherron, a student at Drake university, Des Moines, Ia., came to Maryville yesterday to attend the commencement exercises of the State Normal school.

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KILL THE CATERPILLAR NOW

Arsenicals the Best Means to Stop Work of Insect, Government Bulletin Says.

The conspicuous, unsightly nests or tents of the apple tree tent caterpillar are familiar objects in the spring in trees along roadways, streams and fences, in neglected orchards and elsewhere. Several methods of checking the depredations of this caterpillar are given in a new publication of the department of agriculture.

These gregarious caterpillars construct the tents for their protection, and these, at first small, are gradually enlarged often to a foot or more in height and diameter, the size varying with the number of individuals in the colony. The caterpillars feed upon the foliage of the trees, stripping the leaves from the limbs adjacent to the nest, and if there be several colonies in a tree, as is frequently the case during periods of abundance, the foliage may be quite destroyed, leaving the branches as bare as in midwinter.

Species of the tent caterpillar are found quite generally over the entire United States. The moths deposit their eggs by early midsummer, or earlier in the South. By fall the embryonic larva is practically full grown, within the egg where it remains until the following spring. With the coming of a warm spell the larvae escape by gnawing through their egg shells, often before there is foliage out for food, and under these circumstances they may feed upon the glutinous covering of the egg mass.

Methods of Control.

The tent caterpillar feeds principally on wild cherry and apple trees, but will attack many other plants, and where such trees can be removed with out disadvantage this should be done, thus lessening its food supply.

During the dormant period of trees, when the leaves are off, the egg masses are fairly conspicuous, and with a little practice may be readily found; it is then that they should be cut off and burned. Trees infested with larvae during the early part of the year, or those in the immediate vicinity, are perhaps more likely to be chosen by the parent moth for the deposition of her eggs, and such trees at least should be searched if it is not practicable to extend the work to the orchard as a whole.

This work may be combined with pruning to good advantage, and a look out should be kept not only for the eggs of this insect but for the eggs and cocoons of other injurious species which pass the winter on the trees.

When two egg masses are deposited close together the resulting caterpillars may form a common nest. These nests are gradually enlarged and soon furnish ample protection. If the caterpillars are detected, this will prevent further defoliation of the trees, and the rule should be adopted to destroy them promptly as soon as discovered. In this work either of two practices may be adopted, namely, destruction by hand or with a torch.

Tear Out Nests First.

When in convenient reach, the nests may be torn out with a brush, with gloved hand, or otherwise, and the larvae crushed on the ground, care being taken to destroy any caterpillars which may have remained on the tree.

The use of a torch to burn out the nests will often be found convenient, especially when these occur in the higher parts of tree. An asbestos torch, such as is advertised by seedsmen, will be satisfactory, or one may be made simply by tying rags to the end of a pole. The asbestos or rags are saturated with kerosene and lighted and the caterpillars are as far as possible cremated.

Some caterpillars, however, are likely to escape, falling from the nest upon the application of the torch. In using the torch great care is necessary that no important injury be done the tree; it should not be used in burning out nests except in the smaller branches and twigs, the killing of which would be of no special importance. Nests in the larger limbs should be destroyed by hand, as the use of the torch may kill the bark, resulting in permanent injury.

Spray With Arsenicals.

Tent caterpillars are readily destroyed by arsenicals sprayed on the foliage of lead, etc. The first two are arsenical insecticides may be used, as Paris green, Scheeles green, arsenate arsenate of lead, etc. The first two are uesd at the rate of half pound to fifty gallons of water. Milk of lime from two to three pounds of stone lime should be added to neutralize any caustic effect of the arsenical on the foliage. Arsenate of lead is used at the rate of two pounds to each fifty gallons of water.

Even in the small home orchard of a dozen or more trees it will be found highly profitable to adopt a system of spraying which will control not only tent caterpillars, but such serious pests as the codling moth, canker-worms, various bud and leaf feeding insects, and which will greatly reduce injury from the curculio.

On stone fruits, such as cherry, peach and plum, arsenicals are likely to cause injury to foliage and must be used with caution if at all. On such trees the arsenate of lead is preferable, as it is less injurious to foliage, and on all trees sticks much better.

In spraying for the tent caterpillar only, applications should be made while the caterpillars are yet small, as these succumb more quickly to poisons than those more nearly full grown, and prompt treatment stops further defoliation of the trees.

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DELUSION OF HYDROPHOBIA.

Rarely is There Danger from the Bite of a Dog, Physician Says.

Ninety-nine persons out of 100, when they have been bitten by a dog, entertain the liveliest anticipation that they are bound to die from hydrophobia, says Dr. W. O. Stillman in the National Humane Review. He continues as follows:

Probably not one dog bite in 20,000 is liable to cause hydrophobia. Only three or four deaths in 1,000,000 in the human race are credited to this dread disease, and probably three of the four are due to fright rather than to genuine hydrophobia. We are moved to this reflection by a newspaper clipping describing the death of a man in Syracuse. He did not have hydrophobia. The dog which bit him was shown not to have rabies, but practical jokes played upon him caused a condition of autohypnosis which resulted in his death.

The editor of this magazine has been actively practicing medicine for nearly forty years. For nearly twenty years as president of a large local humane society, he has had charge of public dog kennels which have received many thousands of dogs. In spite of a constant lookout for hydrophobia and rabies, he has never seen a case. Dr. Charles W. Dulles, formerly lecturer on the history of medicine in the University of Pennsylvania, about a year ago delivered an interesting lecture on hydrophobia, in which he calls attention to the extreme rarity of this disease and the many abuses which have grown out of unnecessary alarms over its possible existence.

The point of this discussion lies in the fact that the public has been systematically terrorized by rabies literature let loose by departments of agriculture, and by sensational newspaper alarms. These have resulted in many imaginary cases of hydrophobia and an immense amount of wholly unnecessary suffering. Why not try to exercise a little common sense in regard to this enormously exaggerated danger?

Celebrating Birthday.

A. R Robinson, living northeast of the city, is celebrating his 53rd birthday anniversary today. He located in this country about twenty-four years ago, having been born in Canada. Mr. Robinson says that he is about thirty-five years old.

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President Wilson Will Review Fleet Next Monday.

New York, May 15.—Five thousand members of the Navy league and their relatives and friends were among the thousands who visited the warships of the Atlantic fleet in the Hudson river.

The Navy league gave a dinner and ball to the officers of the fleet in the Ansonia hotel.

Preparations for the parade of the enlisted men of the fleet through the streets of the city next Monday, when President Wilson will review them are in progress. The city has appropriated $10,000 for the expenses of the parade, review and fireworks.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

National League.	W.	L.	P.	American League.	W.	L.	P.
Phila	15	8	625	Detroit	19	9	667
Chicago	15	10	600	New York	14	8	636
Boston	12	10	545	Chicago	16	10	613
Pittsb'gh	12	14	462	Boston	11	9	550
Cincin'ti	11	13	458	Cleve'and	11	14	440
St. Louis	12	15	444	Wash'ton	10	13	435
Brooklyn	11	14	440	Phila	8	15	348
New York	9	13	409	St. Louis	8	18	308
Federal League.				**American Ass'n.**			
Pittsb'gh	18	9	667	Ind'polis	19	9	679
Kan. City	14	11	560	Louisville	15	13	556
Chicago	15	12	556	St. Paul	13	12	520
Brooklyn	15	12	556	Milw'kee	13	13	500
Newark	14	14	500	Cleveland	12	13	480
Baltimore	11	13	458	Kan. City	13	11	542
St. Louis	11	13	458	Min'apolis	9	12	429
Buffalo	8	20	286	Columbus	7	19	269
Western League.							
	W.	L.	P.		W.	L.	P.
Topeka	12	6	667	St. Joe	10	9	526
Denver	10	6	625	Lincoln	7	10	412
Omaha	11	8	570	Soo City	8	14	364
D. Moines	11	9	550	Wichita	5	12	294

BASEBALL RESULTS

National League.

At Brooklyn: R.H.E.
Chicago .....2 8 5 0 2 0 0 1 1—19 23 1
Brooklyn .....0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 1— 4 10 6
Standridge Archer; Cadore-Miller.

At New York: R.H.E.
Cincinnati .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1 5 3
New York.....0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 *—3 7 3
Brown-Clark; Tesreau-Meyers.

At Philadelphia: R.H.E.
Pittsburgh ....2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—3 7 1
Philadelphia ...0 0 0 0 0 0 2 3 *—5 12 4
Mamaux-Schang; Rixey-Killifer.

At Boston: R.H.E.
St. Louis.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5—5 7 2
Boston .....1 0 0 1 2 0 0 0 0—4 8 4
Sallee Snyder; Hughes-Gowdy.

Federal League.

At Pittsburgh: R.H.E.
Chicago .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 6—6 9 1
Pittsburgh .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 5 1
McConnell-Wilson; Allen-Berry.

At Brooklyn: R.H.E.
Brooklyn .....0 0 0 0 4 6 2 0 0—12 16 1
Baltimore .....1 0 1 1 0 0 0 1 0— 4 7 3
Marison-Simons; Quinn-Owens.

At Buffalo: R.H.E.
Newark .....0 0 0 3 0 0 0 1 1—5 7 3
Buffalo .....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1 4 5
Moseley-Rariden; Schulz Allen.

Western League.

At Omaha: R.H.E.
Omaha .....4 0 8 0 3 2 0 0 *—17 14 3
Des Moines...0 0 0 0 0 0 1 4 0— 5 6 6
Blodgett-Krueger. Turner-Price.

At Sioux City: R.H.E.
Sioux City.....3 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 *—4 9 2
St. Joseph.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 0
Hallman-Phelps; Jackson-White.

At Topeka: R.H.E.
Topeka .....1 1 0 0 0 3 0 0 *—5 7 4
Wichita .....1 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 0—4 7 2
Wideman-Monroe; Baker-Gray.

At Denver: R.H.E.
Lincoln .....1 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 2—5 9 2
Denver .....3 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—6 9 1
Ehman-Yantz; Gaskell-Spahr.

American Association.

At Kansas City: R.H.E.
Louisville 3 11 2
Kansas City.....8 13 1
Taylor-Clemons; Allison-Alexander.

BATTLES IN BOTH EAST AND WEST

French Continue Their Victorious Advance North of Arras.

BRITISH HOLDING GERMANS.

Austro-Germans Are Said to Be Continuing Their Successes In Carpathians and Galicia—No Official Report From the Dardanelles.

London, May 15.—The belligerents on both the east and west battle fronts are engaged in most momentous battles. The French, who already have gained possession of what were thought to be impregnable German positions to the north of Arras, are reported to be continuing their victorious advance, while the British are asserted to be holding a large force of Germans in their front and repulsing all German attempts to reach Ypres, which has proved the graveyard of so many thousands of men since the opposing lines were established there last autumn.

Germans Claim Advance.

The Germans claim to have made a slight advance, but with the battle ebbing and flowing this is not considered serious in military circles here.

Along toward the coast the Belgian army has repulsed an attempt of the Germans to regain the bridge head which the forces of King Albert established on the right bank of the Yser canal, while down in the Woevre another French army is pushing its offensive and claims to have gained possession of the whole of the forest of La Pretre, which would be a step nearer to the allies' aim to force the Germans to evacuate St. Mihiel.

Position of Teutons.

The Austro Germans, after their lightning-like rush through western Galacia, have now reached a line running due north and south to the west of Przemysl, while the other armies emerging from the Carpathians are pressing the Russian flank.

Petrograd, however, continues to take the situation calmly, and, although admitting that the Russian army has been forced back by overwhelming numbers and has lost heavily in the retirement, says the Russians are now concentrating on a new line and preparing for another battle.

Down in southeastern Galicia and in Bukowina, according to Russian accounts, the Austrian army, which here has not the assistance of the Germans, is in full retreat and being harried by Russian cavalry. The Russians claim to have obtained the advantage of the German raiders in the Baltic province and to have taken 1,000 prisoners near Shavli.

There is no official report from the Dardanelles, but unofficial news is to the effect that the allies are slowly advancing, despite the obstinate resistance of the Turks, against the heights commanding Krithia, on the one hand, and Killid Bahr and Maidos, on the other.

Teutons Appeal to Consul Skinner.

Germans and Austrians again besieged the American consulate in London, seeking the aid of the American officials to prevent their being repatriated in consequence of the decision of the British government.

These persons explained that for years their homes had been in England and that their deportation would be regarded by them as a greater calamity than internment.

The American consul general, Robert P. Skinner, took their statements, but was unable to promise any action further than the transmission of their requests to the proper authorities.

Large numbers of persons affected by the government's plan are surrendering hourly, rather than await being arrested under the internment order.

KAISER RECEIVES U. S. NOTE

Wilson Grateful For Approval Unanimously Given by Press and Public.

Washington, May 15.—The note sent to Germany by the United States government as a sequel to the Lusitania disaster was delayed in transmission because of congested cables, and was not presented by Ambassador Gerard to the minister of foreign affairs in Berlin until today.

Official Washington talked of little else than the note. The practically unanimous approval given it in the editorial comment of the American press, the statements of governors, senators and members of the house was re-enforced by an incessant stream of messages from persons of every political party and from a variety of organizations and associations. President Wilson told his callers he was deeply grateful and appreciated the patriotic support that was being given him on every side.

Russians Check German Drive.

Petrograd, May 15.—The Russians have fallen back upon strong strategic positions along the river San, which runs north and south through central Galicia, and now regard the German drive as having been checked permanently. The arrival of fresh Russian troops, which successfully engaged the German flanks, has relieved pressure upon the Russian center. These attacks on the German wings, in which the Russian cavalry has been supported effectively by mountain artillery, have been prosecuted with unusual fierceness.

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Motor to Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Wright and children, Marie and Simeon, accompanied by Mrs. Wright's brother, Roy Willhite, will motor to Parnell tomorrow, where they will spend the day visiting Mrs. Wright's mother, Mrs. Mark Barkman.

Dinner Party.

The Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Brown and son of Maitland were guests at a dinner given at noon yesterday by Mayor U. S. Wright and Mrs. Wright, at their home, on South Main street. Mr. Brown came to attend the Sunday school institute in session at the First Methodist church.

Guest from Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Robinson and family and their guest, Mr. Charles Garrison of Rockford, Ill., will motor to Albany tomorrow to spend the day visiting Mrs. Robinson's mother, Mrs. Sarah Garrison. Mr. Garrison is a brother of Mrs. Robinson, and arrived in Maryville yesterday to spend a few days visiting his sister and family.

Mrs. Peery Hostess.

Mrs. M. A. Peery entertained the members of the Homemakers class with a social afternoon Friday at her home, on West Third street The only business matters taken up was the appointment of Mrs. Dan R. Baker as assistant to the class teacher, Mrs. John H. Porter. Mrs. Peery was assisted in the afternoon's entertainment by Mrs. Baker.

Miss Wright Entertains.

Miss Gertrude Wright will entertain with a dinner party at 6 o'clock tonight and the guests have also been bidden for an over-night house party and Sunday breakfast. The party will include Miss Nancy Gustin, Miss Gladys Jenkins, Miss Cora Price, Miss Virginia Rose, Miss Golda Roelofson and her house guest, Mrs. Paul Sawyers of St. Joseph.

To Spend Summer.

Mrs. Mary A. Phares and Mrs. William Wallis, Jr., will depart Wednesday morning on an extensive western trip. Mrs. Phares will go directly to San Francisco, Cal., where she will spend the summer with her son, Mr. Kyle Phares, who is in business in that city. Mrs. Wallis will stop enroute at Denver, Col., and will then go to Portland, Ore., to visit her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walker L. Campbell. Later Mrs. Wallis, accompanied by a party of friends, will visit the Panama-Pacific exposition and make an extensive tour of the southern Pacific coast cities.

Curfman Families Picnic.

In honor of Mrs. Asa Willard and children, Mabel and Robert, of Missoula, Mont., who are visiting in the city, a picnic supper will be given tonight at Normal park by the various Curfman families and relatives, whom Mrs. Willard and children are visiting. Those in the party beside the honored guests will be Mrs. Margaret Curfman, Mrs. J. C. Curfman, Mrs. Anna Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Curfman and daughters, Laura, Helen, Mary Ruth and Gertrude; Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Curfman and children, Lula May, John Preston and Ralph; Mr. Roy Curfman and daughter, Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Richey, Misses Mabel and Helen Todd, Katherine Curfman, Ruth Trout, Mary Margaret Richey and Edith Skidmore.

For Departing Member.

In honor of one of their number, Miss Doris Pinnell, who is leaving Maryville soon, the Queen Esther Circle gave a picnic supper Thursday evening on the lawn at the First Methodist church. Sixteen girls were in the party. Miss Pinnell has been making her home with her aunt, Mrs. Charles McNeal, during the school term and will leave next Saturday for Oklahoma City, Okla., to join her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Pinnell.

For Visiting Friends.

Mrs. James B. Robinson entertained with a kensington yesterday afternoon for the pleasure of Mrs. Frances Totterdale and Mrs. S. J. Richardson of Pueblo, Col., who are visiting in the city. The additional guests who were limited to a small coterie of old friends of the honored ones were Mrs. F. M. Martin, Mrs. S. H. Townsend, Mrs. Martha E. Turner, Mrs. W. M. Wallis, Mrs. Anna Todd, Mrs. Eugenia H. Schenck, Mrs. Margaret Pierce, Mrs. Isabelle Worst, Mrs. Lavencour Michau, Mrs. T. L. Robinson, Mrs. S. O. Hutchison, Mrs. S. A. Helwig, Mrs. H. B. Torrance, Mrs. Rodney Hamblen and Mrs. Katherine Miller.

Mrs. Jackson Gives Euchre.

Mrs. Joe Jackson, Jr., extended her hospitality to thirty guests yesterday afternoon, entertaining with a delightful euchre and luncheon to especially compliment her sister-in-law, Mrs. Harold Ford of Chicago. Late spring blossoms and flowering boughs were used to further beautify the rooms. The high score game favor was won by Miss Helen Leffler and the courtesy favor by Miss Retta Sanders. The hostess was aided in entertaining by Mrs. James F. Colby and Miss Cecile Benight. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. Ford, Mrs. E. D. Holland of Hot Springs, Ark.; Mrs. J. Lou McKee of Pueblo, Col.; Miss Retta Sanders of St. Joseph, Mrs. M. J. Alderman of Omaha, Neb., and Mrs. J. J. Walsh of St. Joseph.

W. R. C. Delegate Returns.

Mrs. Katherine Miller returned last night from Hannibal, Mo., where she went to represent the local Women's Relief Corps at the state meeting.

TO ADDRESS FAIRFAX GRADS.

The Rev. S. D. Harkness Talks to High School Class Tomorrow Night.

The Rev. S. D. Harkness, pastor of the First Presbyterian church will go to Fairfax tomorrow where he will deliver the class sermon before the graduates of the High school tomorrow night. Mr. Harkness will take for the subject of his sermon "A Sum In Addition." The music for the evening will be given by the students of the high school.

There are nine graduates in the class.

The class address will be given on Friday night of next week by Dr. J. E. Dillard of St. Joseph.

Monday afternoon Mr. Harkness will leave for Rochester, N. Y., to attend a meeting of the Presbytery of the United States.

TO HOLD JOHNSON RITES.

Funeral Services Will be at Country Home Tomorrow Afternoon.

The funeral services for Miss Emma Johnson of Burlington, who died early yesterday morning will be held at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Johnson home, south of the twn. The service will be conducted by the Rev. T. C. Middleton, pastor of the Methodist church. The body will be buried in the Burlington cemetery.

Wife Gives Bond; Mate Jailed.

Mrs. Perry Smith, charged jointly with her husband by the state with keeping a gaming device in their home at Burlington Junction, was released yesterday afternoon from the county jail on giving $500 bond. The surety was given by Welch James, Burlington Junction. Mr. Smith was still in jail on two charges this morning.

Summoned by Cousin's Death.

Mrs. Henry A. Foster left last night for Kansas City, where she was summoned by the death of her cousin, Mrs. Percy Green, who died early yesterday morning. Mrs. Foster also received word yesterday of the serious illness of her father, Prof. James W. Terrill of San Angelo, Texas. Prof. Terrill is quite well known to many people in this vicinity. For a number of years he was head of the Mount Pleasant college at Huntsville, Mo.

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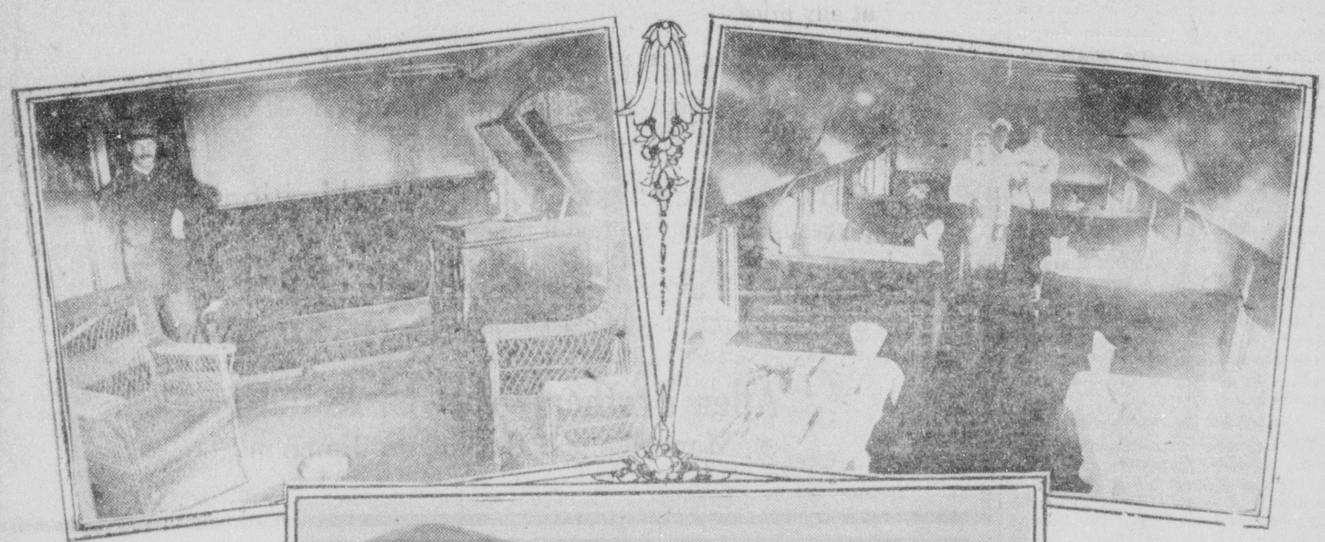

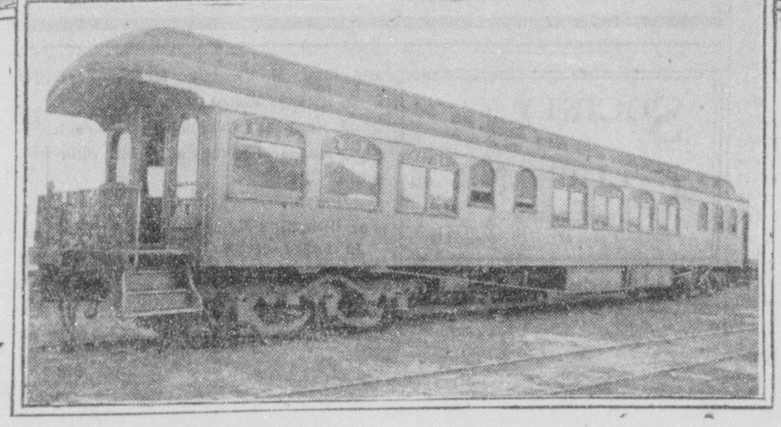

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STRAW HAT TIME IS HERE.

Styles in Summer Headgear for Men Are "Safe and Sane" This Season —Sennit Straw Popular.

Straw hats are safe and sane this year, and the fancy, freakish styles that predominated last year are not to prevail, according to the displays at the haberdashers. The season opens officially today, but a number of straws were seen on the streets several days ago, and hatters report numerous sales. This year's straw hats have lower crowns and broader brims than last year's. The majority of the stiff ones have 3½-inch crowns with 2½-inch brims.

Sennit straw hats are most popular. They are of a rough straw and will supersede the split straw hats to some extent. An imitation Italian straw, fancifully braided and tapering toward the top, will be the nearest thing to freakish hats worn this year. The diamond shaped hat with a pencil curl rim, modeled after the popular winter felt hats, will be much worn.

Panamas, as in former years, are in all shapes and styles, and the customary price of $5 holds for most of them. The Bangkok featherweight hat of the last two years will be superseded this year by what is known as the Leghorn featherweight. This is a yellow braid fancy hat and costs a little more than the Panama. Black bands will be worn on hats this year almost entirely, hatters predict, and the only exceptions will be for the dark blue bands. Few if any hats with fancy bands of all colors will be worn.

The Madagascar, woven on the order of the Panama, but out of the soft pliable grass of the Island of Madagascar, finally appear in salable shapes. These hats are dark ecru in color.

The broad brim high crown English sennet sailor will be very popular. They will sell at from $3 to $6.

Straw hats with rounding crowns will appeal to some, while flexible brims will be a novelty in some hats.

The telescope Panama with the pencil curl brim continues to supplant the old time carelessly jammed up Panama. Some of the Panamas will have folded tan bands to match the ever present Palm Beach suit. The price will be from $6 to $10.

Lightweight Leghorns will be given a conspicuous showing. Green and brown bands will be worn to some extent.

A soft telescope hat with colored underbrims—dark blue, brown or green—will be introduced in a split Milan. Bands will match.

The lightweight Bangkok are out in various new styles. One new origination introduces a soft felt brim, either in brown, tan, white or natural color, with the familiar Bangkok crown. They will cost $10.

One of the newest offerings in straw at the beginning of the season is known as the Duplex. This is a combination straw and felt hat, the crown being a Bangkok and the brim of felt. These are quite nifty, rather expensive and there are few of them on the market. Another novelty is a hat of white straw with brown, green or blue underbrims, also of straw, and bands to match.

One of the prettiest hats on the market is known as the "R. & R" or the "rough and ready" straw. It is woven from larger straw than ever before seen in hats and while it has a very stable appearance is as light as a feather.

Notice.

I will be at Dr. Todd's office till May 23rd. I treat all foot ailments, corn callouses, bunions, in-growing nails, broken arches, etc. Will make residence calls for ladies. Office phone 29. Residence, Mrs. Shipps, both phones. DR. TANDY.

FISH AND GAME LAW CHANGES.

Missouri Legislature Tightens Reins on Fishers and Hunters.

A number of changes in the fish and game laws of Missouri were made by the legislature this year.

Some of them are:

The open season for shooting squirrels will be from June to December. For quail and woodcock from November 10 to December 31 and for doves from August 1 to November 10.

These are the only changes in the game seasons. The bag limit for quail is 10 a day, but 20 birds may be in a hunter's possession after more than one day's shooting.

There are many changes in the law on fishing. The shooting of fish, hand fishing, logging and rock fishing are prohibited. Gigging is prohibited during January, February, March, April and December. At other times not more than 50 pounds may be taken in that manner in one day.

April and May are closed months, when fish may be caught only by single hook and line with natural bait.

Seining and netting fish with 2-inch mesh nets is permitted in the Mississippi and Missouri rivers except during April and May. Land owners may use these devises July, August and September.

All fish caught in seines and nets, if too small for use, all game fish caught in minnow seines and fish too large for bait must be returned to the stream.

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LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—100. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 18,000.

Hogs—7,000. Market 5c higher; top, $7.95. Estimate tomorrow, 33,000.

Sheep—500. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—300. Market steady.

Hogs—1,000. Market 5c higher; top, $7.67.

Sheep—100. Market steady.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—100. Market steady.

Hogs—3,200. Market 5c higher; top, $7.60.

Sheep—None. Market steady.

Carrollton Gets Militia.

A company of the Fourth regiment of the National Guards of Missouri will be organized at Carrollton within a few days to take the place of Company K at St. Joseph, which was disbanded recently. More than sixty-five men will start the new company off.

There are two other vacancies in the Fourth regiment. A number of other cities are petitioning for them. Among these are Stanberry, Rock Port Cameron and Mexico.

St. Joseph Guests Here.

Mrs. Guy Bowers and two daughters of St. Joseph came to Maryville yesterday noon to vsit a few days with Mrs. Bowers' mother, Mrs. Anna Neuens.

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THINKS U. S. WILL STOP WITH WORDS

Cologne Newspaper Says War Not Popular In America.

Amsterdam, May 15—The Cologne Volks Zeitung, commenting upon expressions of American opinion concerning the sinking of the Lusitania, says:

"Americans are very prone to criticise without any expectation that such fighting with words will make any great impression upon those whom they denounce. They feel relieved when they have given frank expression of their irritation. In America, however, war is most unpopular, because it destroys business. There is no need therefore to apprehend that America will join the war against us, but it may be taken for granted that the wave of anti-German hatred will continue to mount still higher. We deplore, but we cannot prevent it. Anti-German feeling is a product of agitation. It slowly mounted and will also slowly subside."

BARNES MAKES DENIAL

Says He Did Not Threaten to Vote Democratic Riff-Raff.

Syracuse, N. Y., May 15—William Barnes resumed the witness stand in the supreme court here to continue his direct testimony in his libel suit against Theodore Roosevelt.

William M. Ivans first asked Mr. Barnes about the testimony of Loyal W. France, a witness for Colonel Roosevelt, who quoted Mr. Barnes as saying in speaking of direct primaries that he could ruin the reputation of any man by throwing enough limelight upon him and that he could vote the riff raff of the Democratic party in the Republican primaries and so disgust the people that they would demand the repeal of the primary law.

"What I said to Mr. France," asserted Mr. Barnes, "was that I was against the primary law as it then stood. I said that the opposite party could injure any man in the primaries if it desired to do so."

"Did you say the system of direct primaries was subversive to party interests?"

"It couldn't be."

NO LONGER ON "GARTER" ROLL

King George Drops German and Austrian Royalty From List.

London, May 15.—The king, as sovereign of the Order of the Garter, says an official announcement issued, has given directions that the following names forthwith be struck off the roll of the knights of the order:

"The emperor of Austria, the German emperor, the king of Wurtemberg, the grand duke of Hesse, Prince Henry of Prussia, the duke of Saxe Coburg and Gotha, and the duke of Cumberland."

The Order of the Garter was constituted by King Edward II., in August, 1348. Since 1831 it has been constituted of the British sovereign and twenty-five knight companions, who were lineal descendants of King knights, who have been admitted by special statutes.

German Submarine Sunk In North Sea

Blythe, Eng'and, May 15.—A German submarine is reported to have been sunk in the North sea. The captain of the steamer Collairnie, on reaching port, stated that his vessel apparently had destroyed the submarine by ramming it off the Northumberland coast.

Reason For Holding Mauretania.

London, May 15.—The Cunard line announces that the only sailing date they have cancelled is that of the steamer Mauretania. This was cancelled, it is added, for the reason that there was not a sufficient demand for passenger accommodations to warrant running it.

SERIOUS RIOTS IN ROME AND MILAN

Disturbances In Italy Reach a Stage of Revolution.

MASSES CLAMOR FOR WAR.

Entire City Occupied by Military and Maddened Crowds Cry Out For Nation to Rush to Fray—Parliament Windows Are Broken.

Rome, May 15.—Premier Salandra has convoked a council of ministers, who are now meeting to make a decision relative to the present crisis.

Dispatches from Milan say serious rioting has broken out in that city over the present political situation. The adherents of the opposing political factions have resorted to the use of firearms and the situation is most grave.

The war agitation in Rome has assumed almost a revolutionary character. The entire city has been occupied by the military.

A riotous crowd made its way to the chamber of deputies and forced an entrance into the building by smashing windows.

Premier Salandra has insisted upon his resignation being accepted and King Victor Emmanuel has entrusted Gieuseppe Marcore, president of the chamber of deputies, with the task of forming a new cabinet.

Dispatches from all parts of Italy set forth that the receipt of the news of the resignation of the cabinet produced an extraordinary sensation. Partisans in Rome deduce that a large majority of the people are in favor of a policy of hostility against Austria.

DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Faith In Nation's Ability to Adapt Itself Financially to Conditions.

New York, May 15.—Dun's Review of Trade says:

The developments of the week afford new proof of the essential stability and power of our financial and business structure. While there is uncertainty as to the final outcome, there is faith in the ability of the nation to adapt itself with financial readiness to every contingency that may arise. Outside of the stock, cotton, and other equally sensitive markets, effects of the new war developments have not materially changed the generally favorable aspect of the trade situation.

With scarcely an exception statistical comparisons, by which business activity is measured, reflect progressive improvement and that the steady gain in bank clearings is not wholly due to the expansion in speculative operations is indicated by the continued increases at many of the leading centers outside of New York. Railroad earnings make a better exhibit and the larger traffic movement has resulted in a notable falling off in the number of idle cars. Failures and unemployment have been decreased. The iron and steel trade holds its own and continues on the same encouraging basis of output as before.

Delay Salvaging the F-4.

Honolulu, May 15.—Salvaging of the sunken submarine F-4 has been delayed owing to disablement of the divers engaged in the work. The divers are showinf the effects of the tremendous strain of working at a great depth, and all but Frank Crilly have been required to rest.

No Americans on Board.

New York, May 15.—Without an American on board the White Star liner Cymric sailed for Liverpool under the British flag. It had aboard 965 persons, including the crew of 400.

President Upheld In Crisis.

Omaha, May 15.—At the organization of the Nebraska Republican Publicity association last night support as Americans was pledged to President Wilson in the present crisis.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, May 15.—Closing prices: Wheat—May, $1.52½; July, $1.27⅞.
Corn—May, 73¼c; July, 76c.
Oats—May, 51¾c; July, 51⅛c.
Pork—July, $17.85. Sept., $18.17½.
Lard—July, $9.57½; Sept., $9.82½.
Ribs—July, $10.45; Sept., $10.72½.
Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, $1.55¼@1.56; No. 2 yellow corn, 75@76½c; No. 3 white oats, 52¾@53½c; standard, 53¾@54c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; steady; native beef steers, $6.80@9.25; westerns, $6@7.85; cows and heifers, $3.30@8.75; calves, $6.50@9.25. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; strong to 5@10c higher; bulk of sales, $7.60@7.75; light, $7.50@7.85; heavy, $7.15@7.75; rough, $7.15@7.35; pigs, $5.75@7.35. Sheep—Receipts, 7,000; weak; sheep, $7.90@8.60; lambs, $7.75@9.90.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, May 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 962; steady, beef steers, $7.25@8.60; cows and heifers, $4@8; stockers and feeders, $6@8; bulls, $5@6.75; calves, $8@10.50. Hogs—Receipts, 6,000; 5@10c higher; bulk of sales, $7.40@7.45; top, $7.50. Sheep—Receipts, 797; 20@30c higher; lambs $9@11.50; wethers, $8@8.75; ewes, $7.50@9.

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FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms downstairs; men preferred. 522 North Market. Hanamo phone 3344. 4-tf

FOR RENT—8-room modern residence at 222 East Sixth. Possession June 1. See Real Estate bank or address E. S. Cook, Jefferson, Gravois and Sidney Sts., St. Louis, Mo. 15-tf

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—100 automobiles and buggies to paint. Barmann Auto Co. 6-6

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DO YOU WANT A HOME. A convenient 4-room house, good basement, etc., 5 blocks from square. Must be sold. Terms. John Hansen, adm. 15-18

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, a limited number of sows, bred to suit purchaser. A. B. Dowden, Farmers phone 1-13. 10-tf

FOR SALE—Four bulls. Shorthorn and Bate's Strain. M. A. Nicholas, Farmers phone 2812. 13-19

FOR SALE—Sweet potato, tomato and pepper plant. O. P. Wade, Hanamo 504. 11-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—6-room house, garden spot and fruit, after April 1. Also 2,260 acres in Hooker county, Nebraska, for sale or lease. J. T. Hays, 405 West Twelfth. tf

PLANTS—We have thousands of sweet potato plants, cabbage, tomato, egg, pepper and blooming plants. We are in the plant business. Strader & Son, Maryville. 14-17

VICTROLAS TO TRADE—We will trade new victrolas and records for used piano. Phone or write and we will call on you. Landon Music Co. 14-20

Lost.

LOST—On the streets of Maryville, $40 in bills, some time Tuesday. Notify Democrat-Forum. 14-17

S C BROWN LEGHORNS exclusively. Fine layers. Eggs, $3.00 for 100. Mrs. J. R. Evans, Maryville, Mo., route 7. Mutual phone 15-13. 11-13

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

To Harvest With Engine.

C. L. Wilson, head if the farming firm of Wilson & Sons, near Burlington Junction, has ordered a new Mogul engine, which he expects to furnish traffic power this summer for harvesting his wheat crop, haul it to market, plow the ground in the late summer and sow the wheat next fall.

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